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LOOKS LIKE WAR.

Lieutenant Marix Says "It Surely Does."

Others in His Party Are More Emphatic

And Say They "Cannot See How it Can be Avoided."

Other Ominous Signs Are Apparent Everywhere--Great Britain Believes Hostilities Are Inevitable.

MIAMI, Fla., March 23.—Lieutenant Commander Marix, of the Maine court of inquiry, with the following party, arrived here this morning from Key West: Lieutenant John Hood, Lieutenant C. W. Junger, Past Assistant Engineer F. A. Bower, Cadets Amon Bronson and F. Boyde, Assistant Engineer J. R. Morris and Carpenter G. M. Helm.

A few minutes later they left by the East Coast railway for Washington. Lieutenant Commander Marix was very reticent, but when your correspondent said: "It looks like war?" he replied:

"It surely does."

Others of the party in answer to the same question were more emphatic in their replies, one saying:

"I cannot see how it can be avoided."

Another, in answer to the same question, said:

"There will be no war."

His face was as genial and bright as sunshine, but suddenly a change came over his countenance, his eyes flashed fire, and when asked when their report would be made, the reply was:

"As soon as we reach Washington; there will be no delay."

The strong impression left here was that the board's report would be against the accident theory.

MONITOR TERROR.

The Ship Has Been Ordered to Key West.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—Secretary Long today telegraphed orders to Captain Ludlow, of the Monitor Terror now at New York, to proceed at once to Key West and report to Admiral Sicard.

The Terror will be permanently attached to the squadron at Key West. It is said that she takes the place of the Massachusetts and Texas which have gone to Hampton Roads, and that this move has been contemplated for more than a week.

TURRETED MONITORS.

Relics of the War of the Rebellion Put Into Service.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—Secretary Long at noon today determined to bring into service the eight old single turreted monitors used during the war and now lying at League Island navy yard, Philadelphia. He issued orders that the monitors Catkskill and Lehigh proceed to Boston and the monitors Nahant and Jason to New York. The other monitors Manhattan, Mahohao, Montauk and Canonicus will remain at Philadelphia where the work of preparing them for service will begin immediately.

AN OMINOUS SIGN.

English Ship Owners Now Insert the "War Clause" in Charters.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Evening World says:

An ominous sign that the strained relations between the United States and Spain will result in war is furnished by English ship owners, who cabled to their agents here that all charters must contain the "war clause." This clause, which is posted in the maritime exchange is as follows:

"It is understood steamer is to be only employed in strictly neutral trades; is not to carry contraband cargo or trade with ports declared under blockade; also in the event of war being declared by or against Great Britian by maritime power this charter is to be null and void at the end of the current voyage."

DARE NOT TALK.

But Lieutenant Blandin Says Naval Court's Report Will be Correct.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 23.—Lieutenant John J. Blandin, of Baltimore, who was officer of the deck on the battleship Maine when the vessel was blown up in Havana harbor on the night of February 15, and who was one of the most important witnesses before the naval court of inquiry at Key West and Havana, arrived here last night from Key West. To a reporter Lieutenant Blandin said:

"Of course you know that I, in common with the other officers and men who were on the Maine at the time of the explosion, am under irod-clad orders forbidding the giving of information about the explosion. I left Havana the day after the explosion and, until last Thursday, have been in Key West. I have been before the court of inquiry and have told them all I knew, and when they have rendered their verdict, you may bank on it that it will be the correct one. It was composed of brainy, careful and cool men, who know what they are doing and are doing it thoroughly. I have received orders to report on Thursday in Washington in order to stand an examination for promotion to the rank of lieutenant commander."

Lieutenant Blanden was asked whether there was much feeling or excitement in Havana or Key West. He replied that if there was any he did not see it.

"General Fitzhugh Lee is certainly the right man in the right place, and is doing great work in Havana," said Lieutenant Blanden. "I saw him the night of the explosion when he came on board the City of Washington to see Captain Sigsbee."

Lieutenant Blandin said that he could say nothing about the probability of war, but if there was to be any fighting he thought that the greater part of it would be done by the navy.

EXTERNAL EXPLOSION.

President McKinley Knows How the Maine Was Destroyed.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Walter Wellman, the Washington correspondent of the Times-Herald, wires the following special to his newspaper:

"The battleship Maine was wrecked by an external explosion.

"This is the verdict of the naval court of inquiry.

"President McKinley knows that this is the finding of the court. He learned the fact today through a telegram from Admiral Sicard, sent in the naval code.

"He was prepared for this verdict by a letter which reached Secretary Long last Saturday, being brought to this city by Lieutenant Blow.

"The verdict of the court, while finding that the ship was destroyed by an external explosion, does not locate the exact cause, and therefore throws only a general responsibility upon Spain.

"President McKinley has now fully decided what he will do concerning the report of the court.

"The document itself is expected to reach Washington Thursday evening.

"By Saturday it is believed a message will be put upon the wires to General Woodford, informing him fully of the nature of the verdict, and instructing him to present the matter to the Spanish government for any reply it may wish to make.

"At the same time Spain will be expected to make a prompt and satisfactory reply, and upon the character of her reply the president will base his further action.

"On Monday the report and all the testimony on which it is based will be sent to congress, accompanied by a message from the president.

"The message will be short. It will recite the facts, the reason why the Maine was sent to Havana, the circumstances surrounding her visit, and the efforts which have been made to arrive at the truth concerning her fate."

ABANDON THE MAINE

Naval Officers Will be Withdrawn From Havana

And the Hulk of the Submerged Ship Will be Destroyed by Dynamite.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The navy department has arranged for the practical withdrawal of all its naval officers at Havana, and the abandonment of the wreck of the ill-fated battleship Maine.

Capt. C. D. Sigsbee, Lieutenant Commander Richard Wainwright, Surgeon L. G. Henberger, Paymaster Ray, Chaplain John P. Chidwick, Chief Engineer Chas H. Howell, and Naval Cadets J. A. Holden and W. T. Cluverius, who have been in Havana with the wreck, will return very soon.

Secretary Long said this forenoon in answer to an inquiry on the subject that he had no reason for the officers to remain at Havana much longer and the probability was that they would be ordered home in a day or two. Captain Sigsbee, he said, would come to Washington as soon as convenient, but as yet nothing had been settled in regard to his future duty.

It might be necessary for Lieutenant Commander Wainwright, who is in special charge of the wrecked vessel, to remain there a short time longer, or at least until it is finally settled that the wreck cannot be raised and that there is no prospect of the recovery of any other portions of the ship or its equipments. It might be necessary also for one of the naval cadets to remain, but this is not regarded as probable.

The return of Surgeon Heneberger and Chaplain Chidwick will depend upon the question of whether they are able to render any further service. Although it is not finally settled, it is more than probable that the Fern will return to the United States as soon as it is determined that nothing more is to be gained by her presence there. In the event of the abandonment of the wreck it is more than likely that the navy department will arrange for its complete destruction by the use of dynamite or torpedoes. In its present condition it is a dangerous obstruction to navigation, and it is not believed that any opposition will be offered to its removal.

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GREAT FLOODS.

Whole Sections of Country Inundated.

Bridges and Embankments Carried Away

And Railway Traffic Seriously Impeded.

A Baltimore and Ohio Passenger Train Plunges Into the River Near Zanesville.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 23.—A special to the Dispatch from Frazeysburg, Ohio, says:

On account of high waters on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad between Zanesville and Newark, a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train, No. 105, with four cars, was running over the Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley and Panhandle as second 21. About three miles east of Frazeysburg high waters had undermined the roadbed for 200 yards. The train struck the hanging track at the rate of forty-five miles an hour, throwing the engine, Pullman and day coach from the track. The day coach, engine and the tender were completely submerged. The train was running in reverse order, the engine being coupled to the Pullman.

Fireman Heacock had a very narrow escape from being drowned, being rescued by the engineer and Pilot Sawer.

No one was seriously injured, but a few received cuts and bruises. Passengers and crew were brought to the shore in boats.

WORST IN HISTORY.

The Scioto Breaks All Previous High Water Records.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 23.—The worst local flood in the history of the Scioto river is in progress here. Thirteen of fifteen railroads cannot get trains in or out of the city. Fifty families at least are homeless and 500 more houses are flooded. No lives lost so far. The west side waterworks and street electric light house are out of service. The east side waterworks are still running. The water is on a stand, but the sky is cloudy and rain is falling.

DANGER LINE.

The Ohio River Passes That Point Today.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 23.—The rain still continues. The river at 10 a. m. reached the danger line and was rising four inches an hour.

The real danger point is fifty feet. It requires over fifty-three to reach the railway track. With the river rising rapidly from Pittsburg to Cincinnati and the great Miama pouring in an unusual flood below Cincinnati, and with the rain still falling, it is difficult to see how a disasterous flood can be avoided.

Rivermen and others hope for the early appearance of cold weather to check the flood.

Meantime the usual precautions are taken to remove goods from the cellars and floors that can be reached by high water.

GREAT MIAMI THREATENING.

MIDDLETON, Ohio, March 23.—The Great Miami river is higher here than at any time since 1866, when almost the entire city was under water. The state dam has broken, causing the hydraulic water to run into the canal.

Its banks threaten to be overflowed into the streets. The breaking of the reservoir bank would undoubted cause loss of life.

All the paper mills have stopped. Water is ten or twelve feet in the cellars. No trains are running and the city is shut off from all travel by rail today.

TRAFFIC SUSPENDED.

The Panhandle Road Inundated in the State of Ohio.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—The latest reports received at the office of Superintendent J. F. Miller, of the Panhandle, show that the road is practically closed to traffic. The bridges between Steubenville, Columbus and Dennison are covered with water, and it is feared they will be swept away.

All through trains are coming in over the Fort Wayne.

The Wheeling branch of the Panhandle is in bad condition and no trains are being run on the New Cumberland branch. The Chartiers branch has not been interfered with to any extent.

Telegrams from many towns east and north of Pittsburg indicate heavy loss from the high water. Kittanning is entirely cut off from telegraphic and railroad communications. Half the business houses are flooded and several county bridges have been swept away.

At Dubois the water is higher than it has been since the Johnstown flood. The Second and Third wards are submerged and the people are moving about in boats.

A Leader dispatch says Sabula dam, about four miles above Dubois, is expected to break. If it does many lives will be lost.

The railroad tracks are washed away and traffic is completely blocked.

On the Fort Wayne road Lutsdale and Fair Oaks are under water. Considerable damage is reported to private property.

Much damage is being caused in and about Braddock. Many families have been forced to leave their homes and several manufactories have suspended operations.

The Westinghouse works at East Pittsburg and the Braddock Wire works are both flooded and shut down.

Scores of families in the Turtle Creek valley are leaving their houses and are moving their furniture to the hillsides.

In many cases the water has reached the second story windows. At 1 o'clock this afternoon the water was still rising here, with twenty-six feet, nine inches on the marker.

Water is in the cellars of the Alvin, Bijou and Duquesne theaters and the hotels Arlington, Victoria and Anderson, but no serious trouble is anticipated.

THE FORT WAYNE BLOCKED

High Waters at Canton Compell a Suspension of Traffic.

CANTON, Ohio, March 23.—One of the heaviest rain storms in the city's history was experienced last night and the greater part of the east end of the city is under water today.

Heavy damage will result. The Fort Wayne road is unable to move trains either east or west, the tracks being in many places under water.

No trains are being run on the Cleveland, Canton and Southern railroad south of here on account of washouts.

A cloudburst seems to have struck the latter line near Sherrodsville, as portions of the track are entirely washed away.

The Cleveland and Valley Terminal road is unable to run trains in either directions owing to submerged tracks.

DAYTON IN DANGER.

The Miami River Far Over Its Banks.

DAYTON, Ohio, March 23.—Dayton is in worse danger than at any time since 1866, when the central part of the city was flooded.

The Miami river shows eighteen and two-tenths feet at the government gauge and is rising. Last year when about $50,000 damage was done the river's highest mark was sixteen and four-tenths feet.

North Dayton is completely under water and about three hundred houses are almost covered.

There were several narrow escapes but no lives are reported lost. The backwater is doing great damage below the city.

Three of the six trolley lines in the city are blocked and the steam railroads north of the city are demoralized.

At this writing the levees protecting Miami City and Riverdale, very populous sections, are in danger and every effort is being made to strengthen the levees.

The water is in the cellars in the central portion of the city and large and valuable stocks of merchandise will undoubtedly suffer so that the loss in that direction alone will be tremendous.

HIGH WATER AT RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, Ind., March 23.—Heavy floods are doing incalculable damage. The large bridge over Whitewater river has been destroyed by fire and water. The city electric light plant is drowned out. The Starr piano factory and the Nixon paper mill have suffered heavy loss. Many people have been driven from their homes. The streets are badly damaged.

THE DANGER LINE.

Allegheny and Monongahala Rivers Swollen by Rains.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—The Allegheny and Monongahela rivers will, in all probabiiity, reach a stage of thirty feet of water tonight. Tremendous rains fell at all points in the two upper valleys last night and the water is rushing towards Pittsburg at a very rapid rate.

At 11 a. m. the Monongahela marks had reached a stage of twenty-six feet, and the river is rising about three inches an hour. The following districts are already flooded: All of Allegheny, south of Robison street and South avenue; River avenue and Upper Robinson street and the upper districts traversed by the Pittsburg and Wabash railroad; the lower bottoms of Woods' Run; lower districts of Saw Mill Run; lower districts of McKees' Rocks and Eshlen borough and all the low lands between the Davis Island dam and Beaver; Sharpsburg and Millvale districts and the lower districts of the upper end of Allegheny and Pittsburg on the Allegheny river, including the Allegheny Valley railroad tracks in the vicinity of Kelly station.

The reports from the upper river stations in reference to the rain fall received by the Pittsburg weather bureau show that from one-half to nearly three inches of rain fell at different headwater points during the night.

Great damage is reported and fears are entertained that the flood will be as great as in 1884. About 5 o'clock there was a sudden rise in the Allgheny river and a clean sweep was made on the Allegheny side between Chestnut street and the railroad bridge. All coal flats, coal boats, shanty boats, rafts and everything afloat were swept away.

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ADVISES PEACE.

Senator Bacon Wants no War With Spain.

He Offers a Resolution in the Senate.

United States, While Strong, Wants No Conflict.

Believes Every Effort Should be Made to Settle Difficulties Without Resort to Arms.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Anticipated discussion of the Cuban question was the magnet which drew an unusually large crowd of interested spectators to the galleries of the senate today. Some time before the senate convened the public and reserved galleries were packed and long lines of people swayed through the corridors, eagerly seeking the admission it was impossible, on account of the limited gallery space, for them to obtain.

On the senate floor the interest was no less than in the galleries.

The chamber gradually filled during the disposition of the routine morning business until almost every senator at the capital was in his seat.

Mr. Tillman announced that he would, next Tuesday, at 3 p. m., ask the senate to consider the resolutions upon the death of his colleague, the late Senator Earle.

Mr. Bacon, of Georgia, presented the following joint resolution:

"That the government and people of the United States, while avowing that at all times, and to the utmost limit, they will maintain their national honor and protect their material interests; and while they will count no cost of blood or treasure which may be necessary for the accomplishment of this high resolve, nevertheless declare that it is their desire to live at peace with all the nations and peoples of the earth.

"That supremely confident in the loyalty and patriotic devotion of the people of every class and of every section of the country, strong in more than 70,000,000 of people, brave and ready for any personal sacrifice the honor and safety of their government may require of them, and rich in the possession of material resources practically without limit, the United States nevertheless desires and intend in the present threatening emergency, earnestly and patiently to use every practicable and honorable means to preserve peace as far as the same may be consistent with the honor of the nation and with their duty to themselves and to others.

"That while unswerving in their purpose to fully protect the honor and the property of the nation as well as the persons of its citizens, and while determined upon the performance of their duty to humanity and to a neighboring people struggling for liberty, the United States, desiring peace and deprecating war, will in good faith endeavor to accomplish these ends, consistently with national honor, through peaceful agencies and without unnecessary resort to war and bloodshed."

Mr. Bacon said that owing to the importance of the resolution he would not ask for its immediate consideration, but would permit it to lie on the table until tomorrow.

Very quietly and with no attempt to produce effect, the bill providing for the relief of the survivors of the Maine disaster was presented to the senate for consideration. Mr. Hale, chairman of the naval affairs committee, reported the bill favorably and asked that it be placed at once upon its passage. The bill was read and without a word of debate was unanimously passed without amendment.

Then in accordance with notice given yesterday Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, was recognized for a speech upon the condition of affairs in Cuba.

Mr. Gallinger has recently returned from the island. He received the most careful and thoughtful attention of every person within sound of his voice.

BOYS HIS PATRONS.

Saloonist Niemann Arrested and Fined.

Allowed Boys to Resort in His Place--Woodruff Goes to Prison--News of the Courts.

Benjamin Niemann, proprietor of a saloon at the corner of Harmer street and Maumee avenue, was fined $10 and costs by Justice Tancey today for allowing minors to play pool in his place. He entered a plea of guilty. There has been much complaint that Niemann permitted young lads to congregate at his resort and enjoy the saloon pastimes the law proscribes in the case of minors. Parents of some of these lads grew indignant and filed the affidavits on which Niemann was arrested.

WOODRUFF SENTENCED.

A. J. Woodruff, who was arrested some days ago for a robbery he committed on Lafayette street, was arraigned in the circuit court for trial and the case was heard by Judge O'Rourke, who found Woodruff guilty and sentenced him to from one to three years in the penitentiary.

NEW TRIAL ARGUED.

Judge Heller, of Decatur, is sitting as special judge in the superior court today, listening to argument of motion for a new trial in the suit of Brown vs. the city. This is one of the Lakeside accident suits in which a jury found damages against the city.

OTHER COURT NEWS.

Today the county officials made an inspection of St. Joseph hospital and Hope hospital. Everything about both places was reported to be in first-class condition. The commissioners report that they found the state of affairs at the county infirmary eminently satisfactory and gratifying.

In the superior court Emmett Martin has sued George Crance, et al., for $65 on mechanic's lein.

Sheriff Melching left this afternoon for Michigan City with John Zaner and Benson McKinzie, who will serve sentences, respectively, for fraud and incest.

In the superior court in the suit of the Tri-State Building and Loan association vs. Alfred Grindle, et al., judgments for $3,458.36 have been awarded plaintiff and in favor of J. D. Pame for $729.

LICENSED TO WED.

Louis Schoonover and Celia Botteron.

Charles W. Snyder and Mary A. Elizabeth Snyder.

ALL WERE LOST.

Bark Helen W. Almy Wrecked at Sea Off the Golden Gate.

Forty Men Were Drowned--Passengers Were Bound for the Gold Fields of Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Forty lives are believed to have been lost a few miles outside the Golden Gate by the capsizing of the bark Helen W. Almy during the storm which has been raging off the coast for the last two or three days.

Twenty-seven of those lost were passengers bound for Cooper River ports and other points in the Alaskan gold fields. The other thirteen were the captain and crew of the vessel, which left this port Sunday night.

The first intimation of the wreck was brought here yesterday by Captain Alexander of the Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer Santa Nosa, who reported that early this morning, while nine miles off Point Bonita, at the mouth of the Golden Gate, he sighted a derelict bottom up.

The tug Sea Witch was dispatched to the point indicated, and found the derelict to be the Helen W. Almy.

The bark lay upon her starboard side with her stern low down in the water, her deck hamper badly wrecked and several planks of her hull washed loose by the seas which broke over her. While there were no signs of boats among the wreckage, it is not believed that her passengers and crew escaped by putting off from the vessel in them, as there has been a very heavy sea for several days past. Furthermore, no word has been received from the survivors, if any exist, although the derelict was sighted within ten miles of the shore, and fully forty-eight hours have passed since the wreck occurred.

DAMP SNOW

Adds to the Discomforts of the Floods.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 23.—A regular blizzard prevails in St. Louis and vicinity, extending down into Arkansas and part of Illinois.

The temperature shows a drop of forty-eight degrees since yesterday.

The ground is covered with heavy wet snow, something unprecedented for this season of the year. The heavy rains of the past few days have caused all rivers in Missouri to rise rapidly.

The Osage and Casconade especially are pouring floods of water into the Missouri, which in turn flows into the Mississippi. The gauge here is 4.9 feet higher than was registered yesterday. It is expected that by tomorrow all low lands on the Mississippi as far up as the mouth of the Illinois river, will be under water. Damage from the risings in this is feared, as the rivers are very high.

At St. Charles the Missouri has risen at an alarming rate, threatening to overflow a large area and covering the best farming lands in the state. The melting snow will add much to the rising waters. Only a few of the incoming trains reached Union station on time today. The belated ones were anywhere from two to seven hours behind time. The delays were caused by the washouts and landslides.

All the streams about Nashville, Ill., are overflowing their banks and the Okawa river is on the rampage. Wheat fields are overflowed and the bottom lands north of Covington are submerged, the Okawa being five miles wide at that point. The new iron bridge there is in danger of being washed away.

After an illness of several months James Turner yesterday resumed his position as foreman at the Coombs hardware store on Columbia street.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Council Selects Inspectors and Voting Places.

Three More Voting Precincts Were Necessary.

The Curfew Petition Referred to a Committee.

The Residents of Brooklyn Avenue Ask for Water Mains--Routine Business Transacted.

The city council met last evening with twelve members present. There was considerable business to be transacted, but when the city dads got started it did not take them long to dispose of it. The most important metter was the report of the committee on elections, which was received and adopted without any dissenting votes.

The mayor reported that he had approved ordinances passed at the previous meeting, and the finance committee reported that they found Comptroller Berghoff's annual report correct. The report of the water works trustees was approved.

Councilman Weller presented a petition signed by most of the residents on Brooklyn avenue (formerly Chicago street) asking that water mains be laid along that thoroughfare. The petition was referred to the water works committee.

Mrs. Emma Hahn submitted a communication in which she demanded $200 damages for injuries received in a fall on Griffith street, the fall resulting from a defective sidewalk. The communication was referred to the finance committee.

The special committee to which was referred the matter of preparing a new ordinance to govern the natural gas franchise reported that they favored the report made by the committee at a previous meeting.

The petition of the Berry street M. E. church Epworth league for the passage of a curfew ordinance was referred to the committee on education.

The report of the election committee was received. They reported forty seven precincts, the voting places and the names of forty-seven inspectors. The precincts were increased by three and the voting places and inspectors are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First Precinct—Voting place, Dittoe's grocery, St. Joe boulevard. Inspector of election, C. J. Wilder.

Second Precinct—Voting place, 231 East Wayne street. Inspector of election, C. F. Eme.

Third Precinct—Voting place, 223 East Jefferson street. Inspector of election, Jacob Hartman.

Fourth Precinct—Voting place, 147 Hanna street. Inspector of election, Charles Barner.

Fifth Precinct—Voting place, 198 Hanna street. Inspector of election, Fred Vollmer.

SECOND WARD.

Sixth Precinct—Voting place, 43 East Columbia street. Inspector of election, A. A. Martin.

Seventh Precinct—Voting place, 57 Clinton street. Inspector of election, Nicholas Heine.

Eighth Precinct—Voting place, 154 Barr street, Lauer's barber shop. Inspector of election, Patrick Ryan.

Ninth Precinct—Voting place, 231 Lafayette street.—Inspector of election, Chas. A. Tripple.

THIRD WARD.

Tenth Precinct—Voting place, 74 West Main street. Inspector of election, Joseph V. Fox.

Eleventh Precint—Voting place, F. Meyer's livery barn, Washington boulevard. Inspector of election, A. Wolf.

Twelfth Precinct—Voting place, 212½ Calhoun street. Inspector of election, Louis Jocquel.

Thirteenth Precinct — Voting place, 13 Highland street. Inspector of election, James Conroy.

Fourteenth Precinct — Voting place, 374½ Calhoun street. Inspector of election, William Orr.

FOURTH WARD.

Fifteenth Precinct—Voting place, Liebman's carpenter shop, Pearl street. Inspector of election, Louis C. Schroeder.

Sixteenth Precinct—Voting place, 97 Broadway, (rear). Inspector of election, C. F. Muhler.

Seventeenth Precinct — Voting place, Hilgerman's grocery. Inspector of election. John C. Grimme.

Eighteenth Precinct — Voting place, 11 Lavina street. Inspector of election, Joseph Nichter.

Nineteenth Precint—Voting place, 7 Colerick street. Inspector of election, Casper Schmidt.

Twentieth Precinct—Voting place, 80 Fairfield avenue. Inspector of election, Chas. Franke.

FIFTH WARD.

Twenty-first Precinct — Voting place, Orff's mill. Inspector of election, Ed. Wilson.

Twenty-second Precinct—Voting place, Rippe's livery barn, Broadway. Inspector of election, A. L. Griebel.

Twenty-third Precinct—Voting place, 134 Broadway. Inspector of election, Henry Hilbrecht.

Twenty-fourth Precinct—Voting place, 178½ Broadway. Inspector of election, Joseph Singmaster.

Twenty-fifth Precinct — Voting place, 385 West Main street. Inspector of election, Daniel Hutzell.

SIXTH WARD.

Twenty-sixth Precinct — Voting place, 276 Broadway. Inspector of election, William Bock.

Twenty-seventh Precinct—Voting place, 498 Broadway. Inspector of election, Julius Remus.

Twenty-eighth Precinct—Voting place, South Wayne Town hall. Inspector of election, Edward Suter.

Twenty-ninth Precinct—Voting place, No. 7 Poplar street. Inspector of election, John Dalman.

Thirtieth Precinct—Voting place, Driebert's caryenter shop, rear of 91 West DeWald street. Inspector of election, John Welch.

SEVENTH WARD.

Thirty-first Precinct — Voting place, 357 South Calhoun street. Inspector of election, George Jacoby.

Thirty-second precinct — Voting place, 457 South Calhoun street. Inspector of election, James H. Fry.

Thirty-third Precinct — Voting place, 101 Wallace street. Inspector of election, John Baker.

Thirty-fourth Precinct — Voting place, 393 Lafayette street. Inspector of election, John Franke.

EIGHTH WARD.

Thirty-fifth Precinct — Voting place, 417 East Wayne street. Inspector of election, S. Freistoffer.

Thirty-sixth Precinct — Voting place, 377½ East Washington street. Inspector of election, Wm. Doehrman.

Thirty-seventh precinct—Voting place, 367½ East Lewis street. Inspector of election, John Smith.

Thirty-eighth Precinct — Voting place, corner Ohio and Eliza streets. Inspector of election, Charles Krudop.

Thirty-ninth Precinct — Voting place, 30 Grant avenue. Inspector of election, Chas. M. Becker.

NINTH WARD.

Fortieth Precinct—Voting place, in rear of Brink's drug store. Inspector of election, J. B. Lassus.

Forty-first Precinct—Voting place, 78 High street, Pape's office. Inspector of election, Henry Leinker.

Forty-second Precinct — Voting place, 167 Huffman street. Inspector of election, George Henkenius.

Forty-third Precinct — Voting place, 114 St. Mary's avenue. Inspector of electon, Barney Brennan.

TENTH WARD.

Forty-fourth Precinct — Voting place, 36 Force street. Inspector of election, B. Roth.

Forty-fifth Precinct—Voting place, Berndt cigar factory, in rear of 145 John street. Inspector of election, A. Kramer.

Forty-sixth Precinct — Voting place, 56 Thomas street. Inspector of election, A. D. Craig.

Forty-seventh Precinct—Voting place, 35 Julia street. Inspector of election, William Stephan.

THE ENGINE HOUSES.

The board of works this morning examined the plans and specifications for the new engine houses to be erected in Nebraska and on Fairfield avenue. The houses will be exactly alike except that that there will be more excavating done about the Fairfield house than about the other. The board will tomorrow night prepare to advertise for bids, which will be opened the first or second week in April. The contracts for the two houses will be let separately.

NEW HOSE WAGONS.

The board of safety will tomorrow advertise for bids for three new hose wagons. The board will open the bids at the meeting April 1. The wagons will probably be built by Fort Wayne manufacturers.

HIGH WATERS.

Low Lands Overflowed and Some Damage Done.

Rudisill's Dam Said to be Dangerous--Along With the Water Came a Touch of Cold Weather.

The intermittent rains of the past few days have caused the rivers in Allen and surrounding counties to overflow their banks, and in some places there has been considerable damage. The lowlands west along the Wabash and Pittsbbrg roads present the appearance of small lakes, and bridges on many of the small streams are threatened with destruction.

A report gained circulation last evening that the high waters had affected Rudisill's dam, and it might give way at any time. The water has been creeping up all day, and the dam still resists its attempts to force it down. The flats along the St. Mary's are covered with water, which has risen to the doorways of a few buildings.

There was a big fall in temperature during last night and overcoats were the most comfortable piece of wearing apparel today. It was feared that the fruit had been injured, but well posted persons assert that the buds had not developed enough for the weather to affect them.

Simaro Kubota, a Japanese, will give a stereopticon lecture on the "Flowery Kingdom" tonight, at the West Jefferson street Church of Christ. He will be dressed in native costume.

NOBBY SPRING CAPS

For the little boys, for the big boys, for all boys, at

REUBEN S. PATTERSON'S.

"Blew Monday"

spell it as you will, that's the soap-users' washday —uses them up completely. Never a "blue Monday" with the right sort of Pearline washing. No rubbing to speak of, no wear, just soaking, boiling, rinsing. Things washed are cleaner and woman who washes is able to enjoy the time saved. 565

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BY E. A. K HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 1898.

TONIGHT.

Revival Services—Baptist Tabernacle.

Westminster Church—Indiana University Glee and Mandolin Club.

Prayer Meetings—At various city churches.

Clerks' Union—Regular meeting union No. 10.

Lodges—Concordia lodge, No. 228, I. O. O. F.; Degree of Honor No. 26; Eden lodge, No. 1, Adam's Royal Sons; Wayne Council, No. 35, Jr. O. U. A. M.; Wayne Castle, No. 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle; Liberty Council, Knights and Ladies of Columbia; Mechecannochqua Tribe 106, I. O. R. M; Fort Wayne lodge No. 1547.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:
Wednesday—The Rays in "A Hot Old Time."
Friday—"The Geisha."

LET us hope that in the Maine matter to be slow is also to be sure.

SPAIN is no more successful in trying to bribe the insurgents than in trying to whip them.

SENATOR THURSTON sums it all up when he says: "If the time for intervention in Cuba is not here now it never will come."

THAT the nations do not regard the peace of the world as entirely secure is evidenced in the difficulty Uncle Sam has in buying warships.

THERE is some relief to the tension of public feeling in the knowledge that the report of the board of inquiry is now on the way to Washington.

"CONGRESS will back the president in everything he does," says a republican exchange. Congress will back the president in everything he does that is right and rightly done, but much else cannot be expected.

THE United States can borrow of her own people half a billion dollars at 3 or even 2 per cent. interest and sell every dollar of her bonds at par. Spain cannot borrow a fifth of that amount anywhere for war purposes and such loans as she is able to make can be secured only by selling her bonds at half their face at 4 per cent., which is in fact 8 per cent. These facts illustrate forcibly the comparative war strength of the two nations.

AT HAMMOND, the other day, Judge Tuthill rendered a decision that has important bearing on the compulsory education law. He held that the law neglected to specify any particular twelve weeks in the school year in which attendance at school was compulsory, and discharged a man who had been arrested and fined in a minor court for not sending his son to school. It would be well if the validity of the law were determined by the supreme court of the state.

THE report of the naval court of inquiry into the loss of the battleship Maine is being carried to Washington by Commander Marix, and within a short time the full text of the findings of the court and its conclusions will be in the hands of the president. Contrary to general expectation, the finding of the court may exculpate Spain from all suspicion of treachery and hold the Madrid government free from responsibility. But even in such event, the United States is not done with Spain. The barbarous warfare in Cuba must be stopped. The unfed, unclothed and perishing thousands of pacificos in the towns must be succored by this government. There must be intervention. The people of the United States who stood aghast that the powers of Europe held aloof and watched without protest the unholy slaughter of Armeanians by the Kurds will not be patient while there is an Armenia at their very doors. If the administration does not soon act, there is hopeful prospect that congress will.

HISTORIANS are not entirely agreed upon the date of the death of Alfred the Great—whether it was A. D. 899, or 900 or 901, although the last has been generally accepted. It may be assumed that the year will be fixed, or at least agreed upon, in time for the millennial celebration for which preparations are already making in England. This is a celebration in which Americans are scarcely less interested than Britons. The kingdom of Alfred lives only in history, but his is the first great figure in the development of the system of jurisprudence that is the stronghold of our civilization and our liberty. He may not have invented all the things that are ascribed to him, but at least they came about in his time, and the name or fame of anyone else who may have contributed to them has become absorbed in that of the great statesman, teacher and lawgiver, one of the semi-mythical, but still quite real heroes of the present English speaking race. The celebration will naturally be held at Winchester, a city of most interesting historic associations, and it may well be one of the most important of all the anniversary commemorations of our time. It is not the military or naval or commercial conquests of Britain that it will recall, but a thousand years of expanding liberty and justice that have spread from Alfred's little kingdom all over the habitable globe.

HAVE A CARE

Where you buy your goods, they may not turn out as represented. Our's are guaranteed or money refunded. Those we now quote were bought cheap—way below the market—hence low prices to you.

Matchless Spring Clothing Offers For Men.

High Grade Spring Covert Cloth Overcoats.—Our extensive stock comprises the neat & new shades, beautifully tailored with pure silk sleeve linings, box and regular cut, equal in every detail to the high-priced tailor-made garment, and are handsome values at our price **$10.00**

All-Wool Spring Suits.—Exclusive '98 Styles, in 3 and 4 button sacks, in Cheviots and Cassimeres, handsomely tailored, in neat gun checks, plaids and fancy mixtures and plain colors—excellent values that cannot be duplicated for less than $10.00—our first spring price **$7.50**

Men's Finer Grade Spring of '98 Suits, fresh from the looms of foreign and domestic manufacturers of all-wool cheviots, cassimeres, unfinished clay worsteds, neat pin checks, plaids and rich fancy mixtures, blue, black and plain gray—stouts, longs and regular shapes—our first Spring offering at the popular price... **$10.00**

Men's Finest Spring Suits & Overcoats up to $25.

Fashionable Spring Trousers for Men.

Men's Fine Spring Style Trousers, latest cut, in all-wool cheviots and cassimeres, neat checks, stripes, plaids, mixtures and plain solid colors, elegantly tailored and well worth double the price **$2.50**

Fine Grades in pure all-wool worsteds and cassimeres, new neat stripes, shades and patterns—new stock just arrived and large assortment—our price for them is... **$3.50**

Still Finer Values in handsome worsteds, exceptionally fine tailoring, newest spring designs in stripes, checks and plaids, stouts, longs, regulars and extra sizes guaranteed to fit, you'll pay half again as much elsewhere.......... **$4.00**

Confirmation Suits a Specialty.

Never before have we shown such an assortment of Boy's Confirmation Suits, long or short pants and greatest values we have ever been able to offer. The prices range from $4.00 to $12.

One Especial Offer in the Confirmation Line.

We were fortunate enough to close out from a manufacturer one lot Boys' Black Clay, All-Wool Worsted Long Pants Suits, sizes 11 to 14. We bought these Suits at a ridiculously low figure and are in position to offer them to the trade at less than manufacturer's cost. This lot consists of 32 Suits and when they are sold this quality Suits cannot be retailed for less than $8.00. First come first served, and while they last you can have them at the heretofore unheard of price, **$5.00.**

$5

Lehman's
34 & 36 CALHOUN ST.

A NEW HOSPITAL

Advocated by the Allen County Medical Society.

Committee of Physicians Authorized to Boom the Building of a Hospital for Contagious Diseases.

An interesting meeting of the Allen County Medical society was held last night in App's hall. The principal topic of discussion was the proposition to build a hospital for contagious diseases. There was a unanimous sentiment in favor of such a hospital. The discussion was brought on by the illness of the man Wagner, who called at the police station Saturday night for lodging and the next morning was suffering with measles. The doctors claim that it would be disgraceful to take sick people to the old pest house and contagious diseases would not be received at the hospitals. The case Saturday night, one physician says, might have been smallpox as easily as measles and there would have been no place at all to take the patient. The medical society urged a committee consisting of Drs. McOscar, Porter and others to devise ways and means to provide for the erection of such a hospital.

Drs. J. D. Chambers and H. A. Duemling read papers.

CULTIVATE LOTS.

Poor of the City Should Accept an Opportunity to Garden.

The committee of the Associated Charities having in charge the cultivation of vacant lots, held a meeting at the office of General Secretary O. E. Mohler, at the city hall, yesterday. The committee has about eleven acres of land that they can distribute to the poor for cultivation, and judging from their experience of last year, it will all be taken. All persons desiring to cultivate some of this land should make application at the office of Secretary Mohler, at room 8, in the city hall, as soon as possible. His office hours are from 9 to 12 o'clock in the morning, from 4 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and from 7 to 8 o'clock in the evening.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Rev. Mrs. Cox, of Marion, has been extended a pastoral call by the Friends' church at Laporte.

John W. Bowman, of Peru, has a wine cup that was used on the table at the coronation of Queen Victoria.

Thomas Walker, a country boy, was held up by a gang of hoodlums in daylight at Columbia City and robbed of his cash.

It is reported that the North Manchester canning works will not be operated this year unless an additional capital of $5,000 can be raised.

George Ream, a well known base ball player, was dangerously injured by the accidental discharge of his gun while duck hunting on Lake Manitou, near Rochester.

Eleven prisoners have been transferred from Michigan City to Jeffersonville. They were all under thirty years of age and were sent to the penitentiary instead of the reformatory by judges who disregarded the new law.

William Eash, the fifteen-year-old lad who escaped from jail at Auburn the other day, turned up at Elkhart, where his father, a notorious man, resides. From Elkhart young Eash sent the keys to the Auburn jail to Sheriff Stroh by express. The lad has again disappeared.

The trial of County Commissioners Walley and Kinnison, of Elkhart county, came to an abrupt end at Goshen. The men were charged with receiving bribes, and former County Treasurer Holdeman, lately sentenced to the penitentiary for embezzlement, was the chief witness against them. Holdeman refused to testify, and Judge Wilson ordered the discharge of Walley and Kinnison.

Carl, aged twelve, and Atley, aged ten, sons of George Hostetter, near Ligonier, during the absence of their parents, went upon the roof of the house, one with a shotgun and the other with a revolver, to engage in mimic warfare, not knowing the weapons were loaded. Carl in some manner discharged the shotgun within two feet of his younger brother, inflicting wounds in his face and forhead that destroyed his sight, fractured his skull and may cause his death.

Social and Entertainment.

The young people of Grace church will give a spring social and entertainment in the lecture rooms of the church Thursday evening. The following program will be rendered:

Recitation	Louis Wilkening
Solo	Elsie Tapp
Recitation	Ruth Gumpper
Duet	Emily Swartz and Will Walter
Recitation	Florence McMillan
Solo	Mr. Haskel
Recitation	Maud Challenger
Recitation ... Stella Bottger and DeEtta Masterson	
Solo	Mr. Haskel
Recitation	Florence McMillan

BASE BALL.

Chauncey Griffith Will Build the New Park.

Expects to Commence Work as Soon as the Weather Permits—Items of Interest to Lovers of the Game.

Chauncey Griffith has accepted the contract to build the fence and grand stand on the new base ball grounds. Work will be commenced as soon as the weather permits and beginning next week he expects to have a big gang of men at work. The enclosure will be 400 feet square and the grand stand will seat to exceed 1,000 people.

THE SCHEDULE.

THE SENTINEL today received from President Power a copy of the schedule adopted at the Springfield meeting, but by request of Mr. Power it will not be printed until Friday. Each club plays twenty-two games with every other club, making a total of 154 games for the season.

Fort Wayne opens at Dayton April 25 and then goes to Springfield. The latter club opens the season in Fort Wayne May 1, and is also here for two games on the Fourth of July. Fort Wayne is at New Castle Decoration day and at Grand Rapids Labor day. Each club makes four trips, one game only being played in each city on one of the trips.

PEANUT VENDER.

Manager O'Meara today received a letter from a peanut firm in Norfolk, Va., asking him to boom their peanuts at the ball park this season by having the refreshment vender handle them. Ed will send for a sack of the peanuts and after he and Bob Dickson have sampled them, will give the recommendation providing the nuts come up to specifications.

PUFF FOR INTER-STATE.

It is gratifying to note that matters are going along splendidly in connection with the Inter-State league, says the Pittsburg Dispatch. Some time ago there were signs of rocks ahead and it looked as if the organization was going to become stranded. But all the evil omens have passed and it is now safe to say that there is not a minor league in the country with better prospects than this same league that we have just set out to talk about.

Well, reports that are coming from the various places of the circuit state that the prospects never were brighter than they are just now. Manager Torreyson, who has taken hold of the Grand Rapids club, states that there will be success at the end. If this prediction is true then the league will be all right.

One of the most difficult things that leagues like the Inter-State have to cope with is the getting of money to put a team on the field at the beginning of the season. There is a diffidence at the time on the part of the capitalists interested to advance the necessary cash to get things into running order simply because of the great uncertainty of the game all round. This is natural. We find it often in larger leagues than the one in question.

But with a few minutes' reflection it will be seen that there is a much better prospect this year for the little league than there was last year at this time. All the experience of last year is at hand to take hold of as a guide; the people of the circuit have become attached to baseball; they have become more familiar with their respective teams and therefore have a greater pride in them and consequently a greater interest in the race that is to take place among the teams. The officials have got their work down to a finer point, despite the fact that they did admirably last season. Altogether the league is more of a household word today in the cities that compose it than it ever was.

Now, these are considerations that cannot be overlooked in figuring on the outcome of the next season. They ought to encourage those who are financially with the clubs to a greater enthusiasm than has been in some cases.

The league in question has been well managed and it contains many players who are truly excellent, and this respect the league is more promising today than it ever was. This should prompt the persons who are more interested in it to see that there is less rowdy conduct among its players than there was last year. To be sure, there was no no more in this league than any other, but what is meant is that the league should be thoroughly in line with the major league in the attempt to quell this rowdy conduct on the ball field. Managers ought to abide by what they have agreed to do.

NOTES.

Youngstown Telegram: "Peck Sharp is getting as much or more advertising than any player in the country."

Manager Armor, of Dayton, was in Columbus Tuesday, looking after a man to play the position of short-stop. He is unable to get Clancy, the Cleveland man who was hired for the place. Mr. Armor heard of a good shortstop at Columbus and went to see him.

At Grand Rapids the Inter-State league games will be played at Recreation and Alger parks this season. Monday afternoon Mr. Torreyson had a conference with Glenalvin's representative relative to the transfer of the parks and terms mutually satisfactory were arrived at and the deal closed.

The Wheeling Register comes out with a story on the authority of a traveling salesman, "who is a friend of Lew Whistler," to the effect that Whistler has a very serious notion of taking his Springfield franchise to Wheeling. The story runs that Whistler is very doubtful about the kind of support that he is likely to get for his team in Springfield, and thinks his chances would be better in Wheeling if satisfactory grounds could be procured. He would like to try Springfield for a few weeks and then if it is a failure switch over to Wheeling. The sports in the latter town will not approve of this plan, but if he will come at once will welcome him with open arms.

At a well-attended meeting in Anderson yesterday the formation of an Indiana gas belt base ball league was begun. C. K. McCullough, president of the old Indiana league, has taken hold. Anderson, Marion, Elwood, Alexandria and Muncie are already organized. The Alexandria team will be managed by John E. Roschie, of Meadville, Pa., formerly of the Pennsylvania league. Les Wachtel, a business man, will manage the Muncie team. H. T. Mote, formerly president of the Kansas State league, will manage Anderson. Marion will be managed by Al Lawson, of Manchester, N. H. James Flynn has taken the Elwood team. George W. Henry, of Indianapolis, has been sent to Kokomo. Organizations are being perfected on the citizen stock company basis. At Muncie March 31 the schedule will be arranged for a four months' season, opening April 21, salary limit to be $600.

WERE DRIVEN BACK.

Anglo-Egyptian Cavalry Defeat Dervish Horsemen.

A Hand to Hand Battle With Spears Followed by a Shelling of the Retreating Dervishes.

ATBARA (On the Nile), March 23.—An Anglo-Egyptian cavalry patrol was in conflict with a large party of dervish horsemen on Monday, eleven miles up the river.

A smart engagement took place in which hand to hand encounters with spears occurred, and the dervishes were driven back. The horse artillery went to the support of the Anglo-Egyptian cavalry and shelled the dervishes at fifteen hundred yards, doing considerable execution.

The Anglo-Egyptian loss was seven men killed and eight wounded. The patrol returned to Rashudi before midnight, bringing the wounded. No British officers were wounded.

A force of 400 dervish cavalry appeared a few miles from here on Tuesday morning. It was met by a squadron of cavalry and a force of Soudanese, who drove off the dervishes with considerable loss, following them some miles beyond Abadar. Mahemoud's main force occupies the same position.

A VERY NEAT JOB.

Two Robbers Hold Up a Train in California.

The Express Car Dynamited, the Mail Car Looted, No One Hurt and the Bandits Escape.

TREVER, Cala., March 23.—Northbound passenger train No. 18 was held up at Cross Creek bridge, four miles south of Trever, last night about 10:35 by two train robbers. The men boarded the train at Goshen, and soon after pulling out climbed into the engine and compelled the fireman to cease firing. When the train reached Cross Creek the steam gave out and the train stopped.

The express was then blown up with dynamite. It was completely demolished. The mail car was then entered and the mail pouch containing the through San Francisco registered matter was cut open and all the contents taken.

No one was injured. The robbers had a buggy in readiness near the scene and they left in this, going north. It is not known how much was taken by the robbers from the express car.

The train was a local from Los Angeles and as a rule does not carry a great deal of treasure.

REAL ESTATE SALES

List of Transfers as Reported by the Dreibelbiss Abstract Agency.

Ida A. Herrold to Manfred E. Bellamy, part lot 12, town of Arcola, for $460.

Wilhelmine Schumann to Charles D. W. Scheumann, west half, northwest quarter, section 26, township 29, range 13 east, containing 80 acres, for $4,000.

Perry A. Gump to Gottlieb Kranter, northwest quarter, northeast quarter, section 3, township 32, range 12 east, containing 40 acres, for 2,500.

William E. Miner to Simon Boerger, lot 13, block A, Wayne Heights, for $175.

William Arnolt et. al., to Magdalena Hinterwinkler, lot ninety, town of Hamilton, for $1.

Frederick J. Hayden to Chapman Rhodes, west half, lot 356, Hanna's addition, for $1.

Lavinia H. Holladay to Olive E. Archer, sub-division 15, section 15, section 4, township 30, range 12 east, for 725.

Leopold Beck to William Kruse, part lot 126, Hanna's addition, for $60.

Maria White et al. to John B. Kelley, lot 13, White's third addition, for $1,500

Virgie A. Niezer et al. to Joseph Lewis, part lot 12, Pilgrim and Rowland's addition, to town of Monroeville, for $900.

Cecilia Graffe, administratrix, to William Wright Rockhill, lots 7 and 8, block 31, Ewing's addition, for $7,800.

S. A. Thornton to Henry M. Gump, west ½, northwest ¼, section 21, township 32, range 12 east, containing 76¼ acres, for $2,000.

American Importers Fail.

BOSTON, Mass., March 23.—The assignment of the firm of Pitts, Kimball & Lewis, importers and retailers, to H. A. Belcher is announced. The firm is one of the largest in the city. The amount of assets and liabilities is not stated. It is thought that a settlement will be affected and the firm will continue business.

Women Should Remember THAT

Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills

are specially prepared to act in harmony with the female system. They cure *Constipation* and *Sick Headache*, resulting from causes peculiar to women.

25 cents. All Druggists.

GIVES UNCLE SAM A HINT.

English Builder Tells Naval Authorities Where to Buy a Dock.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Lyon H. Clarke, of the firm of Stanfield & Clarke, the English dry dock builders, stopped over in Washington yesterday on his way from New York to Havana, where a floating dry dock for the Spanish government has just been installed by the firm, to tell the naval authorities that the United States could probably purchase a big steel floating dock which Stanfield & Clarke are constructing for the North German Lloyd Steamship company. Mr. Clarke told Assistant Secretary Roosevelt that this dock was intended to hold the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, and would accommodate any ship of the United States navy. It is being built at the English yards of the firm for use at Stettin, Germany. He promised Mr. Roosevelt that if this government bought the dock from the North German Lloyd company it could be completed and delivered at New York in four weeks.

PROVES HIS THEORY.

Dr. Schenk Successful in His Treatment of Countess Warwick.

LONDON, March 23.—The countess of Warwick, known throughout the world as Lady Brooke and accounted the most beautiful woman in England, gave birth yesterday to a son. For three months Dr. Samuel Schenk, the great German physician and discoverer of the secret of sex, has had the countess of Warwick under treatment.

The countess was subjected to the most strict regimen. Every ounce of food of which she partook was prescribed and weighed. The system was made even more elaborate for the noble woman because Dr. Schenk knew the eyes of Europe were upon him.

It was to be a crucial test of Dr. Schenk's skill, and the success of that skill was only too clearly made known in a telegram to the German scientist announcing that the child had been born and that it was a boy.

EPIDEMIC OF FIRES.

Chicago Has Another Blaze in Which Lives Were Endangered.

CHICAGO, March 23.—The six-story building, 118 and 120 Monroe street, occupied by the Monroe Catering company and the Building Trades club, was destroyed by fire today. Four women employes of the catering company who were in the top story asleep barely escaped with their lives. The following were burned or otherwise injured during the fire, but none seriously: John F. Burns, fireman; Geo. A. McAllister, fireman; Harry Smith, bartender; Joseph Steimers, porter; Jacob Buchanan, porter. The total loss is $90,000.

CATHOLIC LEADER DEAD.

Granville W. Smith Passes Away at Louisville, Ky.—His Career.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 23.—Granville W. Smith, one of the most prominent laymen in the Catholic church of America, died yesterday of Bright's disease. He was the founder and at one time president of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America, and also at one time prominently identified with the Catholic Knights of America. He was one of the leading members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul and was identified with other church workings.

WANTS HIS MONEY BACK.

Sensational Suit of a Preacher Against an Ohio Woman.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, March 23.—Henry Frantz, of New Castle, a dunkard minister, is the plaintiff in a sensational suit in hearing before Judge John C. Miller in the common pleas court. He prayed in his original petition to restrain Miss Melissa Bell, of Columbus, from collecting four $500 promissory notes which, it is alleged, he gave her to regain possession of some letters which he sent to a pretty stenographer.

LIVED 102 YEARS.

Death of Mrs. John Sheehan at Bloomington, Ill.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 23.—Mrs. John Sheehan died in this city yesterday, aged 102 years. She was a native of County Kerry, Ireland, and had lived in this country forty-one years. She was quite robust and active until recently.

Pensions for Indianians.

WASHINGTON, March 23—Pensions have been granted to the following Indianians:

Original—George H. Miller, Koutz, Thomas Griffith, Shelbyville; Silas B. Saffel, Indianapolis; Edward W. Bishop, Muncie.

Increase—Hiram Weeden, Freemont; James C. Wheat, Indianapolis; Silas Wheatley, Leopold; William T. Pride, Cumback.

Col. C. R. Higgins made a business trip to Warsaw today.

TWO FIRES.

A Western Resort the Scene of Conflagrations.

Woodside, a Large Hotel, Completely Destroyed—Sheriff Boynton's Residence Burned.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., March 23.—Fire broke out at 12:30 o'clock this morning in the Woodside, a large frame hotel which was unoccupied, and threatened for several hours to wipe out the entire eastern end of the city, but was brought under control shortly after 3 o'clock. The Woodside and several adjoining cottages were destroyed. The loss is estimated at $120,000. A high wind was blowing and embers from the burning buildings were carried several blocks.

The water mains were too small to give the requisite pressure and the firemen were also hampered by lack of hose. Help was summoned from Colorado City and Manitou.

Earlier in the night Sheriff Boynton's residence was burned, causing a loss of $10,000. This fire also endangered much surrounding property.

RIVERS RISING.

Heavy Rains in Pennsylvania Send the Ohio Up.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—As a result of the heavy rains in this section during the past forty-eight hours, the rivers are raising rapidly and a flood that will inundate the low lands is predicted before tomorrow morning. Navigation along the Monongheh river has been suspended and the water is over the locks.

The Beaver river is a raging torrent and factories on its banks have closed down.

At noon the marks indicated twenty-one feet and raising three inches an hour.

The Allegheny and Ohio rivers are also rising, and from twenty-three to twenty-five feet of water is expected here tonight.

HORRIBLE CRIME.

John Cox Kills His Wife and Little Baby.

TEXARKANA, Ark., March 23.—Several weeks ago Mrs. John Cox and one of her children were burned to death two miles east of here. It was reported as an accident, in which Mrs. Cox had fainted and fallen into the fireplace, where the embers set fire to her clothing and burned her up. The flames were supposed to have also ignited a cradle and burned the baby. Now, as the result of a story told by an elder child of John Cox, the husband and father has been arrested and is confined in jail, charged with the murder of the woman and her child.

IMPRESSIVE SCENE.

Britain's Demonstrate Their Love for Mr. Gladstone.

BOURNEMOUTH, March 23.—Mr. Gladstone started for Hawarden today in a royal salon carriage. He walked firmly from his carriage to the train, but was pale. The old statesman was greeted with frequent cries of: "God bless you, sir," "God's richest blessings rest upon you."

"Upon entering the train Mr. Gladstone turned and said in a clear voice:

"God bless you and this place and the land you love."

The distinguished traveler was loudly cheered as his train departed.

CRAIG TURNS UP.

The Missing Merchant Got Aboaad the Wrong Boat.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—H. H. Craig, the retired merchant of Rochester, N. Y., who mysteriously disappeared at the Oakland ferry depot on Monday was neither abducted nor stricken with apoplexy, as has been feared. He lost sight of his daughter, who was with him, and by mistake took the boat to Alameda, which caused him to miss the Los Angeles train.

WHIPPED THE FRENCH.

Insurgents Defeat Them on the Island of Madagascar.

PARIS, March 23—The Siecle today says a French expedition sent against Bossieririz, in the Island of Madagascar, has met with serious reverse, six officers and one hundred men being killed. The insurgents, it is added, also captured a number of rifles and 125,000 cartridges.

BRUCE'S SUCCESSOR.

Judson Lyons, the Colored Committeeman From Georgia.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The president today announced to members of the Iowa congressional delegation that he had decided to appoint Judson Lyons, the negro republican national committeeman from Georgia, to be register of the treasury to succeed the late B. K. Bruce.

Presented His Credentials.

ST. PETERSBURG, March. 23.—Ethan Allen Hitchcock, the new United States ambassador to Russia, had an audience with the czar yesterday and presented his credentials.

Clark Won the Race.

LONDON, March 23.—The Lincolnshire handicap of 2,000 soverigns, at the Lincoln spring meeting today, was won by Wm. M. Clark's five-year-old Prince Barcaldine.

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

Election of Delegates.

To the Democrats of Fort Wayne, Indiana:

The election of delegates to the Democratic City convention will take place

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1898,

from 3 o'clock to 7:30 p. m. At these primaries there will also be nominated by a direct vote two candidates for councilman for each ward.

The delegates elected at the primary will meet in the City hall, on April 5, 1898, at 7:30 p. m., and nominate candidates for mayor, city clerk and three water works trustees.

The number of delegates shall be proportionate at the ratio of one delegate for every sixty votes or fraction thereof cast at the late city election for Henry P. Scherer, mayor, and shall be according to this division as follows:

First ward	9 delegates
Second ward	10 delegates
Third ward	9 delegates
Fourth ward	11 delegates
Fifth ward	8 delegates
Sixth ward	8 delegates
Seventh ward	8 delegates
Eighth ward	12 delegates
Ninth ward	9 delegates
Tenth ward	10 delegates
Total number of delegates	94

The election of delegates shall be held at the following places:

FIRST WARD.

All north of Washington street, at the Roach & Thompson Carriage Works, Clay street.

All south of Washington street, at Riemers barber shop, 147 Hanna street.

SECOND WARD.

All north of Washington street, at 100 Barr street.

All south of Washington at 154 Barr street.

THIRD WARD.

All north of Pittsburg railroad at Meyers livery barn, Washington Boulevard.

All south of Pittsburg railroad at 17 Grand street.

FOURTH WARD.

All that part of the ward lying north of Wayne street, at the Princess rink.

All south of Wayne street and north of Pittsburg railroad, at Hilgeman's grocery.

All south of Pittsburg railroad, at Brown's bakery.

FIFTH WARD.

All west of St. Mary's river at 385 West Main.

All east of St. Mary's river at Rippe livery barn, Broadway.

SIXTH WARD.

All north of Wabash railroad at 352½ Broadway.

All south of Butler street and east of Fairfield avenue at 184 Fairfield.

All west of Fairfield avenue at town hall, South Wayne.

SEVENTH WARD.

All east of Lafayette street at Klipper's bakery.

All west of Lafayette street at Spanley grocery, Calhoun and Creighton.

EIGHT WARD.

All south of Maumee road, at 381 East Lewis street, Neumeier grocery.

All north of Maumee road, at 401 East Wayne street.

NINTH WARD.

All north of Third street, at 157 Wells street.

All south of Third street, at Brink's drug store.

TENTH WARD.

All west of Smith street, at 26 Force street.

All east of Smith street, at southeast corner of Creighton and Oliver streets.

The vote shall be by uniform ballot to be furnished under the direction of the city central committee. This ballot shall be seperate for each ward and contain the names of delegates and the names of candidates for councilmen.

The voter will vote for two councilmen on one ballot and express his choice by lead pencil cross in front of the names of those voted for. If there is no ojection to any of the delegates the entire number can be voted for without marking, if otherwise, place a lead pencil cross in front of each name voted for. Any person desiring to vote for any person for delegate whose name does not appear on the ticket can do so by writing the name or names upon the ticket and scratching out the name of those for whom others are substituted. If there are the names of only two candidates for councilmen on the ticket and the entire ticket is voted without pencil cross, then all the names will be counted as being voted for.

Two city central committeemen will be elected at this election and the names to be voted for must be printed or written upon the ballot. The result of the elections must be immediately reported to the city central committee.

By order of the democratic city central committee.

ALLEN HAMILTON, Chairman.
HENRY BUCK, Secretary.

HOME SEEKERS' EXCURSION

Via Wabash R. R. April 4, 5, 18 and 19, 1898.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CITY CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention.
HENRY B. MONNING.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR MAYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention, April 5 1898.
HENRY P. SCHERER.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.
WILLIAM GEAKE.

WATERWORKS TRUSTEE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
P. J. SINGLETON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, Tuesday, April 5, 1898.
C. H. WALTEMATH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WM. TAGTMYER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIRST WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to decision of the democratic primary.
GEORGE B. HENCH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed at the nominating primaries.
EDWARD J. EHRMAN.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for re-election as councilman of the First ward, subject to the democratic primary election.
WILL TIGAR.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SECOND WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary.
ALLEN HAMILTON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
W. J. HOSEY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—THIRD WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Third ward, subject to the democratic primary.
DAVID ECKERT.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a democratic candidate for councilman in the Third ward, subject to the will of the nominating primary of the party.
JOHN O'RYAN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FOURTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating primary in the Fourth ward.
JOHN J. BAUER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIFTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the republican city primary.
J. O. BROWN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SIXTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries.
SYLVESTER McMAHON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries.
HENRY SCHWARTZ.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
JAMES CURRY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SEVENTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman of the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the democratic primary.
PETER J. SCHEID.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
DANIEL D. GORDON.

FOR COUNCILMAN—EIGHTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Eighth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary.
K. K. WHEELOCK.

FOR COUNCILMAN—NINTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will again be a candidate for councilman from the Ninth ward, subject to the will of the democrats as expressed at the nominating primary.
FRANK X. SCHUHLER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—TENTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce the name of William E. Gerding as a candidate for councilman of the Tenth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
A HOST OF DEMOCRATS.

FOR SENATOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for state senator, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of Allen county.
GEORGE V. KELL.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of June 4
CHARLES M. DAWSON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the judgship of the Allen superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
THOMAS E. ELLISON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—I hereby beg leave to announce to the democratic party of Allen county that I will be a candidate for nomination for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic convention to be held on the 4th day of June next.
ROBERT LOWRY.

FOR CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the office of clerk of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.
DR. L. S. NULL.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Announce that I am a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.
FRANK J. BELOT.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
LOUIS J. BOBILYA.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WILLIAM MEYER, JR.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce the name of Captain John H. Rohan as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, and oblige
A HOST OF DEMOCRATS.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
ADOLPH SCHULTE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
A. R. SCHNITKER.
New Haven, Allen Co., Ind.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WILLIAM SCOTT,
Lafayette Township.

FOR SHERIFF.

Editor SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for renomination for a second term for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.
ALBERT E. MELCHING.

FOR COUNTY RECORDER.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.
FREDERICK FRY,
Jefferson Township.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
CHARLES W. SCHERER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to decision of the democratic nominating convention.
CHARLES M. GILLETT.

FOR CORONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of coroner of Allen county for a second term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
JOHN H. KAPPEL, M. D.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the office of coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
DR. W. W. BARNETT.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the office of commissioner of the Third district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
C. E. ORFF.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of commissioner of the First district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
SILVANUS F. BAKER.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace, subject to the decision of Wayne township democratic nominating convention.
HARRY F. FRANCE.

FOR SURVEYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
JOHN A. BUSHMAN.

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SHOP AND RAIL.

Joachim Lenz, a Veteran Shopman, Dies of Asthma.

Was Employed in the Pennsylvania Shops Nearly a Third of a Century.

Joachim Lenz, of 21 Gay street, died at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon of asthma, after an illness of several years' duration. The deceased leaves a widow and seven children, the latter being Ernest, Henry and Fred Lenz, Mrs. Mary Nahrwald, Mrs. Sophia Kramer and Mrs. Minnie Claus, all of this city, and Mrs Clara Shea, of Cincinnati. William, another son, was killed on the railroad two or three years ago. The funeral will take place next Friday afternoon, at 1:30, from the house, and at 2 o'clock from Zion's Lutheran church.

Mr. Lenz was born in Germany May 26, 1820, and was nearly seventy-eight years old when he died. He came to Fort Wayne and took a position in the Pennsylvania car shops in 1866 and worked there continuously until July 22, 1892, when he was compelled to retire on account of the severity of the malady which finally caused his death. His last service in the shops was in the capacity of janitor of the planing mills. He was a member of the relief department.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

J. F. Genbard has resigned a position as brakeman with the Nickel Plate.

Sickness interfers with the work of F. Tegeder at the Pittsburg copper shop,

Herman Regel is in Decatur, Ind., repairing an engine. He is employed by the Bass works.

Ed Morris, a carpenter employed at the electric works, is suffering from an attack of erysipelas.

Thomas Duncan, the electrician, was made a member of the local lodge of the Modern Woodmen last night.

The Hi Henry minstrels left this morning on the Grand Rapids road for Kendallville, where they show tonight.

James Craig resumed his work in the factory of Rhinesmith and Simonson this morning, after a few days' sickness.

Charles Kierpse, the machinist who had one of his hands badly cut four weeks ago, has resumed his place in the Bass works.

The Lake Erie and Western train, due here at noon, was three hours late in reaching the city today. Delay is due to the heavy rains and washouts.

Stewart Rehrer has returned from a business trip to Decatur, Ill., in the interest of the Electric corporation.

Nickel Plate Conductor J. M. Wells is sick. Brakeman L. P. Stone, of the same road, is taking a few days' rest.

The Haskell & Barker car works at Michigan City yesterday began on a contract to build 1,000 box cars for the Great Northern.

Miss Lillian Ferris, daughter of Pittsburg Brakeman Frank C. Ferris, of 111 John street, is confined to the house with quinsy.

The Toledo, Peoria and Western has placed a contract for four new high-class locomotives with the Rogers locomotive works.

The Wabash and the Illinois Central will erect interlocking signals and switches at their crossings at Monticella and Tolono, Ill.

J. L. Conboy, a prominent stock raiser of LaPorte county, Ind., was in the city today on business with the Pennsylvania railway officials.

George Horton, a Nickel Plate brakeman, has been assigned to a position in Conductor House's crew. Horton had been on the extra list.

Michael Maloney, whose son, Thomas, was drowned last week, resumed his duties as watchman at the Pittsburg shop gate this morning.

It is stated that the Illinois Central, which has just placed an order for ten new locomotives, will, within the next thirty days, contract for fifty more.

John Yenni, engineer at the factory of Rhinesmith & Simonson, has returned to his work after an absence of ten days on account of a scalded arm.

Machel Ganz, who has been wrestling with neuralgia for two weeks, has conquered the disease and has resumed his work in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

A. Hider, the mason who keeps the furnaces at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop in repair, has recovered from a sickness which kept him at home a few days.

Louis Schoonover and Miss Cella Botteron, of this city, were married at the office of Justice France last evening. Mr. Schoonover is a Nickel Plate brakeman.

The Indiana University Glee club, which will appear at the Westminster church tonight, arrived in the city at noon over the Wabash road. There are seventeen in the party.

Superintendent C. D. Law, of the Pennsylvania, and Superintendent J. W. Hunter, of the Grand Rapids, went to Pittsburg last night to attend a meeting of railway officials today.

The roads interested have agreed to restore rates on packing house products from the Missouri river to to the Mississippi, and from St. Paul to Chicago to the normal basis, March 28.

The arrangement by which passenger trains of the Nickel Plate arrive and depart at Chicago at the Van Buren street passenger station is said to be increasing the business of the road.

The Monon people are beautifying the surroundings of their new shops at Lafayette by laying cement walks, laying out little parks and sodding all ground where it is practicable to do so.

C. W. Grecnich, a machinist apprentice at the Wabash shops, is confined to his room by a lame foot, the result of stepping on a nail a few days ago. Dr. Schrader is the attending physician.

Work will be commenced next month on the new shops of the Peoria and Eastern at Urbana, Ill. When completed they will be the most conveniently arranged and complete shops in the west.

The Chicago and Rock Island has decided to equip all of its engines which haul passenger trains with electric headlights, having tested three on their engines for some months with satisfactory results.

N. H. Chamberlain, general agent of the Lackawanna line at Kansas City, retires from that position on April 1. His successor will be appointed this week. It is understood that a freight man on the Wabash lines will be selected.

Engineers Robert John, D. E. McFee and George Cooper and Fireman John Vesseriat, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days rest. The rush appears to have subsided and men have no trouble in getting a lay-off now when they desire it.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Polhamus expect to leave this evening on Pennsylvanla train No. 8 for Chambers Springs, where they hope to receive physical benefits by a two weeks' sojourn. Mr. Polhamus has been in poor health for several weeks.

The blacksmiths have challenged the hammersmiths at the Bass works for a game of base ball. The captains are Joseph Richlan and Peter Haunhouse, and they have the matter in hand and hope to complete arrangements in a few days.

Today's shipment from the electric works include an 1,000 light alternating and a forty light arc dynamo, with a complete number of lamps and station equipment material, to Monroeville, Ohio; a sixty horse power motor to Clyde, N. Y., and an 1,000 light arc machine to Grafton, W. Va. Lamps and station material accompany the latter machine.

The business men of Lafayette, through the city council, have taken up the question of having the roads centering there unite and build a union station. It is stated that the Lake Erie and Western is the only road that gives the project a cold shoulder.

David Simon, a clerk in the Pennsylvania offices, who was confined to Hope hospital with lung trouble for several weeks, was taken south yesterday in the hopes that the mild climate would restore him to health. The mother of the young man accompanied him.

C. W. Smith, an operator, has been promoted to the position of train dispatcher of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, vice W. W. Wagoner, who has been retired. W. G. Cartwright, of Kalamazoo, will succeed Mr. Smith in the telegraph department.

The Rev. L. L. Henson married Miss May L. Bauer and Sidney A. Mason at 7 o'clock last evening, at the home of the bride's parents, on Lafayette street. The groom is a fireman on the Nickel Plate road. Mr. and Mrs. Mason will begin housekeeping at once at 179 Hanna street.

Two squads of tramps had a great time on a Lake Shore train near Valparaiso a few days ago. One party robbed the other of everything, including $18 in cash and all their clothing except shirt and pants. The train crew was powerless and the thieves left the train with their plunder before officers could be summoned to arrest them.

CURRENCY MEASURE.

Bill Reported by Republican Sub-Committee.

Silver Dollars to be Redeemable in Gold and Greenbacks to be Retired by Substitution.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The report of the republican sub-committee of the house committee on banking and currency was laid today before the full republican membership of the committee.

This sub-committee, which was appointed a month ago to report a general banking and currency measure, consists of McCleary, of Minnesota, chairman; Mr. Price, of Illinois, and Mr. Mitchell, of New York.

The bill they have reported is entitled "A bill to provide for strengthening the public credit, for the relief of the United States treasury and for the amendment of the laws relating to national banking associations."

The method of dealing with the greenbacks is not by direct retirement, but by the substitution of a legal tender note, which the banks are required to assume and for the redemption of which they are required to find the gold so long as they are conducting a solvent business

The principal provisions of the bill are as follows:

1. A division of issue and redemption is established in the treasury, for which the secretary of the treasury is authorized to set aside the general cash balances in excess of $50,000,000.

This excess on March 17, 1898, was $176,139,532. United States notes received by this division for redemption in gold are to be cancelled and retired in proportion as certain substitute currency is issued. No note redeemed in gold is to be again paid out except under exceptional conditions.

2. National banks are required to assume the current redemption of United States demand notes in order to obtain circulation based upon their commercial assets. A new class of notes, called national reserve notes, is to be issed in lieu of legal tender notes deposited by the banks with the treasury, and these reserve notes are to be redeemed upon demand by the banks out of the redemption fund which they are required to maintain in gold. These reserve notes are not treated in any respect as bank notes, because the banks are not liable for their ultimate redemption.

3. The basis of national bank note circulation will eventually be the commercial assets of the bank, but this will be reached only after a series of years.

4. National banks are to be permitted to issue currency notes upon their commercial assets to the amount of the reserve notes issued to them in return for deposits of United States notes.

5. Treasury notes issued under the act of July 14, 1890, are to be dealt with eventually upon the same basis as United States notes.

6. A tax of 2 per cent. is levied upon currency notes issued in excess of 60 per cent. of the capital of any national bank and of 6 per cent. when in excess of 80 per cent.

7. The national currency notes based upon commercial assets are to be secured by a bank note guaranty fund, made up by the contribution in gold coin of five per cent of the entire circulation of the bank and provision is made for replenishment of this fund within certain limits.

8. The national reserve notes will continue to be legal tender until received into the treasury from failed and liquidating banks, when liability for them will be assumed by the government and they will be redeemed and cancelled.

9. Standard silver dollars are to be redeemable in gold, but silver certificates are redeemable only in standard silver dollars. The parity of silver with gold is secured by a gold redemption fund.

10. Silver certificates are hereafter to be issued only in demominations of $1, $2 and $5. Legal tender notes, reserve notes and currency are not to be issued in denominations below $10.

11. National banks are required to pay a tax of ¼ of 1 per cent. semi-annually upon their capital, surplus and undivided profits.

12. National banks are permitted to establish branches under regulations to be prescribed by the secretary of the treasury.

GREAT FLOODS,

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wrecked or sunk, entailing a loss of many thousands of dollars.

While no lives were lost there were many narrow escapes from drowning. The heavy rains have caused many landslides and washouts on the railroads and the through service west of this city is badly delayed. The Pennsylvania limited was delayed five and a half hours by a washout near Canton, Ohio, and other western trains are from one to five hours late. The Niagara express, southbound, is held up by a landslide fifty miles from here and will not get away until late this afternoon. At Carbon, Pa., a Pittsburg and Western freight train went through a bridge weakened by the flood. Engineer Lake was killed and Fireman Bradley fatally hurt.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

Magazine Lets Go and Eight Persons Reported Killed.

PITTSBURG, March 23.—A Chronicle-Telegraph (Lowellville, Ohio) special says:

A dynamite magazine at Hillsville exploded this morning, wrecking the building and causing a panic in Lowellville. It is supposed the magazine was struck by lightning. It is reported that a man named Welsh, his wife and six children were killed.

GLADSTONE VERY SICK.

He Requests That His Condition be Kept From the Public.

LONDON, March 23.—Sir Thomas Smith, surgeon extraordinary to the queen, who was called in consultation upon the case of Mr. Gladstone, said to an interviewer today that after the examination Mr. Gladstone begged him not to say a word about his condition unless the queen asked for information on the subject. The surgeon confirmed the report that Mr. Gladstone was suffering intense pain and was very ill.

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"Casting all your cares upon Him, for He careth for you." Sometimes like a wild deluge, sweeping all before it, and sometimes like the continual dropping of water—so does care mar our peace. That we shall some day fall by the hand of Saul; that we shall be left to starve or pine away our days in a respectable workhouse; that we shall never be able to get through the difficulties of the coming days or weeks; household cares, family cares, business cares, about servants, children, money and crushing cares—what rest can there be for a soul thus beset? But when once we learn to love by faith, believing that our Father loves us and will not forget or forsake us, but is pledged to supply all our needs; when we acquire the holy habit of talking to Him about all and handing over all to Him, at the moment that the tiniest shadow is cast upon the soul; when we accept insult and annoyance and interruption, coming to us from whatever quarter, as being His permission, and therefore as part of His dear will for us—then we have learned the secret of the gospel of rest.—Rev. F. B. Meyer.

Dr. Evans' Faultless Set of Teeth.

Mme. K., a once noted Russian beauty, was famous for the length and sumptuosity of her trains. She was also lavish of her smiles. One evening, at some grand reception. I was gazing at her as Comte Horace de Choiseul led her through a suite of salons. Dr. Evans came up to me. We talked about the sumptuous train. He then asked, "What do you think of her teeth?" "They light up her face like sunbeams; they eclipse even the pearls of Mme. de Rothschild's necklace." "It was I who provided them," said the doctor; "no, I'm not joking." "But surely they are too transparent to be of composition?" "They are not of artizcial stuff. I chose teeth from the mouths of twelve Brittany girls to make the set." "Why from twelve?" "Because the twelve had the proper number of faultless teeth. Besides, Mme. K. is superstitiously orthodox. She wanted her teeth to be a reminder of the twelve apostles. To please her I inserted a bit of the true cross in the gold setting."—London Truth.

England's Charitable Women.

A record of ladies' charitable bequests in 1897 is not without interest. Twenty-five ladies whose personality amounted in all to £2,500,000, bequeathed $3,155,000 odd of this to charities—i. e., nearly one-fourth of their estate. Two Scotch ladies left large bequests to Scotch hospitals, etc., and of course, founded more scholarships and bursaries. The Scotch have an unfailing belief in education, and Edinburgh, in particular, simply bristles with bursaries and educational endowments of every description. Lady Malcolm, of Poltalloch, left her residuary estate to a school founded in America for the revival of the lost mysteries of antiquity. What these are we do not know. It is noted that all these charitable ladies were long-lived, the average age at which the twenty-five died being 84.—St. James' Gazette.

He Was Experienced.

First Burglar—It's no use tryin' thet place t'-night, Bill. Ther man an' his wife went in 'bout an hour ago, an' I heerd him tell her he'd buy her a di'mond necklace ter-morrow. Second Burglar—Wot's thet got t' do wid it? First Burglar—Plenty! She won't be able t' sleep fer t'inkin' 'bout it, an' he won't sleep fer t'inkin' how he's got t' pay for it.—Pearson's Weekly.

Cause to Remember Him.

Miss Singer—I wonder if that rich uncle of mine remembered me when he made his will? I used to sing for him. Mr. Law—I'm sure he must have. He hasn't left you anything.—Pick-Me-Up.

PERILS OF AFFECTION.

Few People Realize How Exhausting the Tender Sentiment is—A Physician's Good Advice.

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"If the men and women of the nineteenth century do not feed the forces that produce sentiments, affections, feelings, they are certain to break down, to become exhausted, and to die before their time. Do not tell me these things are theories, for they are solemn facts."

"You ask me what I would do," he continued. "I answer: Begin to feed these forces; feed them constantly; feed them with the best and most scientific discovery you can secure. If you ask me what is the best I unhesitatingly say it is that grand preparation which has been so long before the people and is so popular, Warner's Safe Cure. I know that it possesses powers known to no other discovery and I know that thousands of men and women cannot live without it today. If you will stop and think, or ask your friends, you will see that what I say is correct, and I believe be led to try it at once if you have not already done so."

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None More Devout at Matins Than She, None More Gay and Eager at the Sunday Afternoon Bullfight—A Discreet and Fascinating Coquette.

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"Time flies," saith the epicurean idler of Granada. "Meanwhile study woman."

I am ready to kiss the Koran on it, and it is my firm belief, that there is something worthy of perusal if you lift with me this evening the heavy leathern curtained portal of this old Spanish cathedral whence the threads of incense breath unroll and if you come with me into the cool and cumbered solitudes of saints and subtleties out of a sun that fries your forehead and reduces your thinking apparatus to despair. The various chapels are glittering with firefly lights, like a garden party in Calcutta. The altar bell is tinkling for benediction. It is a wonderful sight as you stand with folded arms, or kneel rather, and look along this mighty ark. The Spanish woman is kneeling or is prostrate before one or other of her pet patrons, the wax auxiliary for tomorrow's intrigue or triumph. Her duenna is seated on the ground beside her. But watch her—this beautiful Spanish woman! You catch a glimpse of those twilight eyes beyond the black cascade of her lace mantilla as she turns a moment—yes, coquettishly—and draws the mantilla closer. She prostrates again, and her devotion is divine. Your eyes are riveted upon her. Every outline of that form is supplication and aspiration. Fair saint, ora pro nobis! bursts from your lips, and your soul ascends with hers to the Almighty.

The fair senorita rises again, sits down on the marble floor, and, oh, with what a delicate touch draws the mantilla just a favoring hair's breadth away from that delicious olive outline of cheek—and plies her fan quite exquisitely. How that fan catches the crimson of the martyred saint on the window above! Why, no! The colors on the beauty's fan are those of her favorite matadore. What are you thinking of? And what is she thinking of as that fan coquets and courtesies and then retreats. The fair senorita makes her obeisance to the altar, and, with such gentle timidity, follows her duenna out of the church. The artist leaning against the pillar catches that roguish look in the Spanish eyes within those little side curls called picardios (roguieries).

The artist stranger's, reasoning apparatus begins to work again, and he knows that this divine devotion he has just witnessed is but a prelude to tomorrow, when the fair senorita, bowed to the dust today, will shout her breath away at the whirl of blood and dust going on within the arena of the corrida de toros

On your homeward path from vespers your attention is arrested by a crowd collected around a matador in gorgeous raiment for tomorrow's fete. Watch the faces of the men in the crowd. The man who comes under the influence of woman rises or falls in the whole scale of intellectual or moral being. The tell tale little fingers of woman that hold a man's destiny can guide it to crowns or subtract it from glory. Watch the faces in this main artery of Madrid where the hoarse shouts for the "slayer" rise in deafening thunder. You begin to wonder if you were wise in leaving your trusty derringer in your steamer trunk at the hotel.

Above, from the balconies so prettily shaded by tawny Moorish awnings, the watching senorita peeps. She may never see her lover alone, so welcome those balcony promenades, where the two may talk in a sign language that to any one else on the outside of it all looks like the gestures of one in danger of apoplexy. The tourist turns his steps toward the cemetery, feeling a trifle lonely amid all these balcony calisthenics. Now, this last resting place of the Castilian noble is a weird and wonderful place. The Spanish lady in affliction comes here to hang up a new picture in the mortuary chapel or to go up and down to the grewsome twilight of the vault or to sit plunged in grief. This chapel is gorgeous with decoration of mosaic pavement and stained glass windows and an intricate ironwork of carved grille through which the tourist stranger may peep. The sanctuary lamp trembles across the skeleton bars like the opening eye of the dead. A flight of stairs, broad and echoing, go down and down to the vault below into whose gray shadows the dead Castilian noble has been carried this morning only. And the poor lady yonder in black and white (the fashionable [illegible] of Castilian affliction) is so profoundly bowed in grief. The artist tourist withdraws on tiptoe from before the grille.

It is the afternoon of the morning when the dead count went down to his final account. In the noble lady's house in Madrid—the lady who owns the mortuary chapel and who sobbed very much this morning—there is quite a stir going on. My lady countess is standing in her room. My lady is standing before her mirror, and she is drawing, oh, so coquettishly, a splendid black lace mantilla around her shapely little head, and then she pins, oh, so jauntily, a pretty white rose on her head, and then she pins another prettier white one nestling close to it, and she laughs again. Just the colors of the funerary wreath in the mortuary chapel! And then she holds up over her head adorned with the black lace mantilla and the two snow roses a little red fan, and she peeps away from under it and throws that little head on one side. And then down the stairs and away! To the mortuary chapel? Oh, dear, no; to the bullfight! Why, it's Sunday afternoon, and Jose, the celebrated matadore, does the slaying today.

LUCY CLEVELAND.

Trouble Breaks Out Again.

"You're f'm the south, ain't you?" asked the boy on the other side of the fence.

"Yeh," answered the new boy.

"I know why orsters ain't good where you come f'm."

"Do you?"

"Yeh. You hain't got any 'r' down there."—Chicago Tribune.

A Wise Precaution.

Little Bessie—Can't I have a birthday party next week, mamma?

Mother—Why, Bessie, your birthday isn't till next summer.

Little Bessie—I know, but Uncle Jack says ladies don't have any birthdays after they are 25 years old, so I want to have lots of them before it is too late.—New York Truth.

Embarrassing.

Ethel—Why didn't you attend Professor Dump's lecture on the "Cycles of Time?" It was very interesting.

Maude—The subject of the lecture was embarrassing to me. You know, dear, I bought my wheel on the installment plan.—Pittsburg Press.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—For Indiana: Rain or snow and colder in south portions this afternoon and tonight; Thursday, fair and warmer; fresh southerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. Jacob Fry, of 52 John street, is very ill.

Miss Lena Meyer entertained the Mimosa club last evening.

Mrs. M. J. Blitz left for Bluffton today to remain the rest of the week.

The Duodecimo club met today with Mrs. Van Slyke, at 106 East Berry street.

Miss Mayme Fuller has returned from a visit at her home in North Adams, Ind.

Mrs. Leopold Levy, of Huntington, is in the city visiting friends for a few days.

Mrs. Edna Study-Harper, of Terre Haute, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Study.

Mrs. H. H. Bennett, who has been the guest of relatives in the city, went to Logansport today.

Mrs. Noble Olds and daughter, Maribel, left today for a visit with relatives in Grand Rapids.

Charles Davy, of Toledo, is in the city, the guest of his cousins, the Misses Minnie and Belle Geake.

J. E. Meloy, traveling agent of the National Express company, was registered at the Randall hotel today.

Miss Laura Gorham, of Rockford, Ill., will be the guest the latter part of this week of Mrs. W. H. Shambaugh.

Dr. and Mrs. Schick will be at home to their friends after April the 10th at 54 East Washington street.

There were three prisoners in police court this morning, two train jumpers and one vag. The trio were sent to jail.

Miss Phoebe Ellison entertained two tables at progressive pedro last evening in compliment to Miss Mary Rowe, of Chicago.

Two ante-nuptial companies were given today for Miss Charlotte Lowry—one a card party this afternoon, given by the Misses Rurode, and a dinner this evening at Miss Kate Hoffman's.

Miss Lillian Schrader has gone to Lima, Ohio, to attend the marriage of Charles Schrader, which occurs there this evening. Drs. Schrader and C. E. Barnett are also in Lima to attend the wedding.

Walter, the ten-days-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Diedrick Kleemeyer, died at the home of his parents, No. 10 Swinney avenue, last evening. The cause of death was exhaustion. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

The Aid Society to Ladies' Auxiliary of Order of Railway Conductors will be entertained by Mrs. Evans, Coleman, Hinne and Oakes, Thursday, from 1 to 5 p. m., at their hall. All O. R. C. ladies and friends are invited.

Miss Elizabeth Knight gave a card party at her home yesterday afternoon in compliment to Miss Charlotte Lowry and her guest, Miss Kate Jackson, of Goshen. Progressive pedro was played, Mrs. Charlie Guild winning first prize.

The meeting of the revival services at the First Baptist church last night was attended by a larger congregation than the previous evening, in spite of the inclement weather, and the interest manifested seems to be earnest and genuine. Rev. L. L. Henson will preach tonight.

Huntington Herald: "At a meeting of the executive committee of Club League, Friday evening, April 8, was selected as the date of its April meeting and reception. It was announced that Mrs. Bursley and Miss Hoagland, of Fort Wayne, had consented to attend the reception and would each deliver a practical talk on club work."

The marriage of Miss Birdora Ellison and Edwin R. Williams, of Virginia City, Nev., occurred at the home of the bride's mother, in Lagrange, Tuesday morning. Only immediate relatives of the family were present. The ceremony occurred at 8 o'clock. The Rev. J. E. Carpenter, of Howe military school, officiated, and the Episcopal service was used. After the ceremony a sumptuous breakfast was served, during which congratulations were tendered the bride and groom. The happy couple left yesterday for Ann Arbor, Mich., which will be their future home. The bride is the daughter of the late Hon. A. Ellison and is one of the prominent young ladies of Lagrange. Hon and Mrs. T. E. Ellison, of this city, attended the wedding.

Big Reduction on Rice.

50 barrels received direct from Louisiana. Good quality, only a little broken, down to 4c pound.
FRUIT HOUSE.

MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, Rooms 6-7, Bass Blk. 2tf

Eggs, Butter and Potatoes.

Fresh Country Eggs, 9c dozen.
Best Roll Butter, 18c lb.
Choice Michigan Potatoes, 70c bushel.
South Whitley Flour, $4.65 bbl.
All City Flour, best grades, $4.90.
Best Shoulders, 6½c; Best Hams, 9c.
Florida Strawberries and Fresh Southern Vegetables for Thursday morning.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Judge D. D. Heller, of Decatur, was in the city over night.

Miss Luella Harding, of Bluffton, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne.

Miss Rebecca Ninde, of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ninde.

R. E. Moss, M. D., of Port Huron, Mich., is registered at the Wayne hotel today.

S. S. Dahertley, of Terre Haute, was registered at the New Aveline last evening.

Will Collins has again taken charge of the news stand at the Randall hotel.

The city directory is now on the press and will be ready for distribution early in May.

L. L. McCormick, of Bluffton, a wealthy oil man, was registered at the New Aveline today.

Zannie McDaniel has left for Portland, Ore., to take a position in the electric light plant there.

W. R. Jones and wife and Miss Belle Jones, of Hartford City, were in the city today between trains.

Charles A. Kelley, of Terre Haute, was in Fort Wayne last night on business. He returned home this morning.

A farmer's team ran away on Barr street this morning and demolished the buggy, but no person was injured.

Mrs. C. E. Cooke, of Paulding, Ohio, arrived in the city this morning and will visit her son, Fred Cooke, for a few days.

J. J. Sullivan, of Chicago, a traveling insurance representative, was in the city today visiting the local agent of his company, Murray Hartnett.

Miss Trace Dirkes was yesterday taken from her home, 72 Bprthold street, to St. Joseph hospital for treatment. She has been ill for some time.

Charles E. Archer has issued a call for a meeting of the employing job printers of the city to be held in the parlors of the New Aveline hotel this evening.

David Fife will leave Fort Wayne Saturday or Sunday for the west, where he goes to accept the management of one of Rockefeller's great western farms.

A cablegram from Bremen states that the steamship, Kaiser Wilhelm, der Grosse, on which Rev. J. L. Leeper and Dr. N. R. Wenger sailed for Europe, arrived in that port yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Mossman will entertain the ladies of Plymouth Congregational church and their friends on Friday afternoon, from 2 to 5 o'clock, at her home, 328 Washington boulevard.

Hon. Thomas R. Marshall, of Columbia City, was registered at the Wayne hotel. He was en route home and stopped over between trains to discuss the political outlook with Fort Wayne democrats.

The wives and daughters of the members of the A. O. H. will meet at Library hall Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to assist in making arrangements for the coming A. O. H. state convention, to be held in this city next month.

Claude Duval, private secretary to C. S. Crane, general passenger agent of the Wabash, Bert Sharpe and Chas. B. Ullman, of St. Louis, are in the city today visiting their friend, F. J. Stutsman, landlord of the Randall hotel.

Professor Feiertag, of Madison, Wis., has accepted the call extended to him by the St. Paul's Lutheran congregation of this city, to take a place as teacher in the St. Paul school here. He is expected to arrive in a few days.

The following Scottish Rite Masons are attending the spring convocation at Indianapolis this week: J. M. Henry, J. T. Dougall, A. R. Walter, Dr. E. L. Siver, Dr. S. H. Havice, M. S. Mahurin, M. J. Blitz, E. C. Rurode and Byron Hattersley.

Professor Bitting will not be able to deliver the promised address during his visit here Friday. He will talk to Fort Wayne citizens on impure milk at some future day and will entertain them with stereopticon views on different conditions of milk.

The Ladies' society of Westminster church will meet tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the Misses Keel's, 145 West Superior street. There will be literary work furnished by the committee, which will make the meeting an interesting one.

Professor Bitting, of Purdue university, will arrive in the city Friday morning, to begin the tests of dairy cattle. The work will occupy two days, and all tests will be made free. City Bacteriologist Drayer received a letter from Professor Bitting yesterday, and is busily engaged preparing for the work.

Preparations for the state convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians are progressing rapidly The meeting will convene on April 19, and a day and a half will be occupied in getting through the accumulated two years' business. Half a day will be spent in sight-seeing, and on the evening of the 20th a banquet will be given in honor of the visitors. Hon. William P. Breen will be Bishop Rademacher, State President John W. O'Hara, of Peru, and State Treasurer M. J. O'Brien, of Richmond.

Office Seeking the Man.

This is a clear case of the office seeking the man, as we are looking for the man who will buy our office desks, etc., suitable for a wholesale or manufacturing business. Will be sold at a bargain, as we have no use for them.
THE GREATEST GROCERY.

Ten tables of new spring suits at REUBEN S. PATTERSON'S.

Late Red Cranberries 5c quart at The Greatest Grocery.

Division No. 3, A. O. H., will meet tomorrow night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Vachot, of Smith street—a son.

Judge Allan Zollars went to Chicago this morning to look after some legal business.

Miss Grace Bass returned home this morning. She left Mr. and Mrs. Bass in New York.

The city of Laporte has granted a franchise to a corporation that purposes the construction of a street railway.

Mrs. L. G. Dailey and son, Rogers, went to Wabash this morning to spend two or three weeks with relatives.

The Summit City Juvenile orchestra held a rehearsal at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holmes last evening.

Joseph Merrilat has recovered from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism, which confined him several months.

Mrs. Johnson, of Findlay, formerly of this city, will be the guest of honor at a pedro party given by Mrs. L. O. Hull tomorrow evening.

Charles D Logan, superintendent of agents of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, was in the city yesterday on his tour of inspection. He called on District Agent Ten Broek.

Miss Lavonia C. Williams, daughter of Josh Williams, will canvass the south part of the city as subagent under General Agent Houlihan for the sale of Murat Halstead's great history of Cuba.

The college warble will be heard this evening at the Westminster Presbyterian church, the occasion being the concert by the Glee club of Indiana university. The college men have appeared in a great many cities and together with the undoubted musical talent and the humorous songs they give an entertainment that everyone enjoys.

John H. Archer today celebrated his sixty-first birthday anniversary. He was born in Washington township, two miles north of the city. At that time the surrounding country was wild and beasts of all kinds were plentiful. There were plenty of wild cats, bear, panther, dear, etc. He saw Fort Wayne grow from a town of 1,000 to a city of 50,000. Mr. Archer is in excellent health.

J. I. White is in St. Louis.

J. S. Cain, of Andrews, was in the city last evening.

Mrs. App, of West Washington street, is ill with pneumonia.

William C. Verney, of Williamsport, Pa., is visiting in the city.

Cyrus Whitney, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne.

George B. Walker has accepted a position in the Foster furniture store.

Joe Kirchheimer is in Fort Wayne on business. Joe is located now in Chicago.

Miss Carina Banning is the guest of her father, Dr. E. P. Banning, at the Wayne.

Dr. Henry Humrichouser, of Pierceton, visited friends in Fort Wayne last evening.

George McCurdy and Otto Rothschild have accepted positions in the Globe clothing house.

Mrs. Charles Bash entertained a few young people as a surprise to her son, Charlie, last evening.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll will lecture on "Liberty," at the Princess rink, on the evening of April 29

Rex Dryer will return from Ann Arbor on Friday and will be the guest of Edward Reitze for a week.

W. J. Holt has returned to the city from a trip in Indiana towns in the interest of the automatic banjo.

Professor Adams will deliver a lecture to the students of the College of Expression Thursday evening.

Mrs. Olive Fleming and nephew, Donald Miller, of Buffalo, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wise.

J. B. Neizer, of Monroeville, ex-county auditor, was in the city today shaking hands with his many friends.

Alf Hattersley went hunting near Rome City yesterday. If his money doesn't run out he will bring home some game.

Lottie, the eleven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Prince, fell and sprained her ankle and is confined to her home.

Miss Clara Minnewisch, of South Hanna street, entertained friends Monday evening at pedro, the occasion being the anniversary of her birth.

D. C. Fitch is entertaining Prof. E. B. Newton, of Cleveland. Professor Newton will give a recital at the College of Expression next Monday evening.

The Lakeside Aid society held a social last evening at the home of Mrs. E. F. Tierney, on Columbia avenue. A small sum of money was realized.

Manager O'Meara this afternoon received a letter from James McKevitt in which Fort Wayne's former center fielder asks to be reinstated on the team.

I. U. Glee club which sings at Westminster church tonight, gave a concert at Warsaw last evening. After hearing them, Rev. Dickey wired E. F. Yarnelle to engage the club for a week at Winona.

Oscar Litt has returned from a trip to surrounding towns in the interest of his shows. He has made many contracts and anticipates a profitable season. Norton & Jones' circus, owned by Dr. Litt, will open the season May 14.

Hugh Dix and Ed O'Meara are out at Lakeside park this afternoon putting the ground in shape for the spring practice. In less than two weeks the players will report, and it will be impossible for them to do any work on the new park.

Ex-City Clerk Rudy C. Reinewald was pleasantly surprised last evening at his home, on Masterson street, by a number of his friends, who, accompanied by their wives, called to assist him in the proper celebration of his forty-first birthday anniversary.

ANOTHER WELL.

The Hartzell Oil Company Will Locate It Tomorrow.

The directors of the Hartzell oil well at the meeting held in New Haven yesterday decided to put down another well. Tomorrow they will visit the oil fields and determine where to locate the well.

The capacity of the present well demonstrates that beyond question oil in paying quantities is underneath Allen county soil, and the Hartzwell company is after it.

STRIKE IMMINENT.

River Coal Miners Demand Fulfillment of Chicago Agreement.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—A general strike of river coal miners will be inaugurated on April 2, unless all of the conditions of the Chicago agreement are conformed with by that date, or the operators agree to pay the men upon a run of the mine basis. A strike will effect about 5,000 men.

SPRING OVERCOATS.
In all shades and grades, at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Extra fine Braunschweiger Liverwurst, at The Greatest Grocery.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Wheat—May, $1.04½; July, 84⅛; Sept., 77⅞; Dec., 77⅝.

Corn—March, 28⅛; May, 28⅞; July, 30⅛; Sept., 31⅛.

Oats—March, 25⅛@¼; May, 25⅞@26; July, 23⅛.

Pork—March, $9.65; May, $9.70; July, $9.77.

Lard—March, $5.00; May, $5.05; July, $5.12.

Ribs—March, $5.00; May, $5.00; July, $5.05.

Barley—Cash, No. 3, 34@42c.

Rye—Cash, 48⅞c; May, 49½c.

Flax—Cash, $1.17½; N. W., $1.20½; May, $1.19⅜; Sept. $1.07@1.07½.

Timothy—March, $2.85.

WELL WON REST.

Hon. Jacob Hillegass Departs This Life.

Passed Away Tuesday at His Huntertown Home.

Four Score Years Well Spent on Earth.

Mr. Hillegass Had Served in Many Positions of Trust and His Death Will be a Loss to the County.

Tuesday, March 22, at his home, near Huntertown, occurred the death of Jacob Hillegass, a man who for more than half a century had been prominently identified with the affairs of Allen county and northern Indiana.

Jacob Hillegass was born February 7, 1818, in Montgomery county, Ohio. He was united in marriage May 26, 1841, in Butler county, Ohio, to Miss Lucy A. Powell. Seven children were born to them, five of whom survive him, as follows: Jerry, Hezekiah, Mrs. S. J. Stahl, Mrs. S. B. McManus and Mrs. L. A. West.

The deceased came to Allen county April 14, 1843, and located at Huntertown, where he has ever since lived, and has devoted the greater part of his life to farming. He was among the most successful and enterprising farmers of northern Indiana and was in the advance guard of progressive agriculture. His home, near the village of Huntertown, is well known as being of the most beautiful places in the country.

His educational advantages were somewhat limited but he availed himself to the utmost of his school privileges and throughout his long life was an eager student, an earnest seeker after knowledge and was a true promoter of education and general progress, acting his part nobly in life's great drama.

Mr. Hilligass held many positions of trust, the last being the office of county commissioner, to which he was elected in October, 1869, and re-elected three years later, serving in that capacity six years. He was noted among his constituents as a man of energy, marked decision of character and of the most unflinching integrity. He was a communicant of the Presbyterian church for fifty-five years and was a faithful and consistant member of this society—universally liked and respected, and a man without an enemy. For the past year he has been in failing health, his illness being a complication of diseases. Since New Year's Mr. Hillegass had been a great but patient sufferer, until called to his reward. The funeral will take place Saturday at 1:30 p. m., from the Cemetry church at Huntertown.

JEFFRIES' EASY WIN.

Jackson Lasts Three Rounds—Californian Has Peter Helpless Early.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 23.—The Jeffries-Jackson fight last night in the third round, the decision being given to Jeffries. The decision was generally well accepted, as Jackson was a beaten man after the knock-down at the end of the second round. In fact, after the first round no expert would have given a nickel for Jackson's chances. Though his color was good, his stomach was entirely too full, his legs were weak and his eye lacked luster.

At the end of the first round Jefferies seconds evidently coached him to make an aggressive fight. He pushed Jackson all around the ring and soon after the opening of the round landed heavily on Jackson's jaw. The blow was not delivered with full force, but he watched his chance and soon landed another on the point of the jaw, which knocked Jackson to the carpet. He took his time and rose very groggy. A moment after Jeffries landed another trip-hammer blow on the jaw and Jackson went down a second time. Call of time alone saved him, as he reeled into the corner, supported by his seconds.

It was evident he could not last another round. He feinted for a time at the opening of the third round, but Jeffries gave him no breathing spell, landing first on the wind and then delivering several rapid blows right and left on the jaw. Jackson could not protect himself, and hung helpless on the ropes. Captain Whitmann entered the ring and stopped the fight, as it was plainly evident Jackson was a beaten man. The referee then gave the fight to Jeffries.

Juicy Beef Roasts and Tender Steaks, at The Greatest Grocery.

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We have a shop full of them and are paying union rate of wages; no boys at $4.50 to $6.00 per week; that is why our bicycle repair work is always satisfactory. You may think our prices high but they are as low as we can afford to do first-class work.
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Fancy Florida Strawberries, 25c quart, at The Greatest Grocery.

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Tickets for Vincent Course of Lectures on sale at Woodworth's Drug Store and Lehman's Book Store. Lectures March 28, 29, April 4 and 5.
14,16,19,21,22,23,24,25,26,28

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Card of Thanks.

We desire in this way to express our thanks to the railroad men and our friends for their kindness in our sad bereavement.
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We have just received a most beautiful line of ladies' large ascot puff scarfs. They are the swell thing and guaranteed to be the correct style, now so popular in New York. Ladies are respectfully invited to inspect them.
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We can show you effects never before thought of, and at moderate prices, too. Call on H. A. Kirchefer, 157 W. Berry St. 21t6

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21-3t. Wabash Freight Office.

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They are the three great models of the year. Our price, $35, $40 and $45. We guarantee them to be as good as any $80 or $100 wheel.
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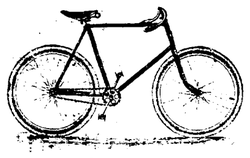

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Received of Tribe of Ben Hur $1,000, full amount of certificate held by my husband, who was killed Sunday, Feb, 28, only seven days intervening between his death and payment of claim. I desire to express my gratitude to the order for their prompt payment and to the members of the local court for their sympathy in my great bereavement.
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LOOKS LIKE WAR.

Lieutenant Marix Says "It Surely Does."

Others in His Party Are More Emphatic

And Say They "Cannot See How it Can be Avoided."

Other Ominous Signs Are Apparent Everywhere—Great Britain Believes Hostilities Are Inevitable.

MIAMI, Fla., March 23.—Lieutenant Commander Marix, of the Maine court of inquiry, with the following party, arrived here this morning from Key West: Lieutenant John Hood, Lieutenant C. W. Junger, Past Assistant Engineer F. A. Bower, Cadets Amon Bronson and F. Boyde, Assistant Engineer J. R. Morris and Carpenter G. M. Helm.

A few minutes later they left by the East Coast railway for Washington. Lieutenant Commander Marix was very reticent, but when your correspondent said: "It looks like war?" he replied:

"It surely does."

Others of the party in answer to the same question were more emphatic in their replies, one saying:

"I cannot see how it can be avoided."

Another, in answer to the same question, said:

"There will be no war."

His face was as genial and bright as sunshine, but suddenly a change came over his countenance, his eyes flashed fire, and when asked when their report would be made, the reply was:

"As soon as we reach Washington; there will be no delay."

The strong impression left here was that the board's report would be against the accident theory.

MONITOR TERROR.

The Ship Has Been Ordered to Key West.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—Secretary Long today telegraphed orders to Captain Ludlow, of the Monitor Terror now at New York, to proceed at once to Key West and report to Admiral Sicard.

The Terror will be permanently attached to the squadron at Key West. It is said that she takes the place of the Massachusetts and Texas which have gone to Hampton Roads, and that this move has been contemplated for more than a week.

TURRETED MONITORS.

Relics of the War of the Rebellion Put Into Service.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—Secretary Long at noon today determined to bring into service the eight old single turreted monitors used during the war and now lying at League Island navy yard, Philadelphia. He issued orders that the monitors Catskill and Lehigh proceed to Boston and the monitors Nahant and Jason to New York. The other monitors Manhattan, Mahohao, Montauk and Canonicus will remain at Philadelphia where the work of preparing them for service will begin immediately.

AN OMINOUS SIGN.

English Ship Owners Now Insert the "War Clause" in Charters.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Evening World says:

An ominous sign that the strained relations between the United States and Spain will result in war is furnished by English ship owners, who cabled to their agents here that all charters must contain the "war clause." This clause, which is posted in the maritime exchange is as follows:

"It is understood steamer is to be only employed in strictly neutral trades; is not to carry contraband cargo or trade with ports declared under blockade; also in the event of war being declared by or against Great Britian by maritime power this charter is to be null and void at the end of the current voyage."

DARE NOT TALK.

But Lieutenant Blandin Says Naval Court's Report Will be Correct.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 23.—Lieutenant John J. Blandin, of Baltimore, who was officer of the deck on the battleship Maine when the vessel was blown up in Havana harbor on the night of February 15, and who was one of the most important witnesses before the naval court of inquiry at Key West and Havana, arrived here last night from Key West. To a reporter Lieutenant Blandin said:

"Of course you know that I, in common with the other officers and men who were on the Maine at the time of the explosion, am under iron-clad orders forbidding the giving of information about the explosion. I left Havana the day after the explosion and, until last Thursday, have been in Key West. I have been before the court of inquiry and have told them all I knew, and when they have rendered their verdict, you may bank on it that it will be the correct one. It was composed of brainy, careful and cool men, who know what they are doing and are doing it thoroughly. I have received orders to report on Thursday in Washington in order to stand an examination for promotion to the rank of lieutenant commander."

Lieutenant Blanden was asked whether there was much feeling or excitement in Havana or Key West. He replied that if there was any he did not see it.

"General Fitzhugh Lee is certainly the right man in the right place, and is doing great work in Havana," said Lieutenant Blanden. "I saw him the night of the explosion when he came on board the City of Washington to see Captain Sigsbee."

Lieutenant Blandin said that he could say nothing about the probability of war, but if there was to be any fighting he thought that the greater part of it would be done by the navy.

EXTERNAL EXPLOSION.

President McKinley Knows How the Maine Was Destroyed.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Walter Wellman, the Washington correspondent of the Times-Herald, wires the following special to his newspaper:

"The battleship Maine was wrecked by an external explosion.

"This is the verdict of the naval court of inquiry.

"President McKinley knows that this is the finding of the court. He learned the fact today through a telegram from Admiral Sicard, sent in the naval code.

"He was prepared for this verdict by a letter which reached Secretary Long last Saturday, being brought to this city by Lieutenant Blow.

"The verdict of the court, while finding that the ship was destroyed by an external explosion, does not locate the exact cause, and therefore throws only a general responsibility upon Spain.

"President McKinley has now fully decided what he will do concerning the report of the court.

"The document itself is expected to reach Washington Thursday evening.

"By Saturday it is believed a message will be put upon the wires to General Woodford, informing him fully of the nature of the verdict, and instructing him to present the matter to the Spanish government for any reply it may wish to make.

"At the same time Spain will be expected to make a prompt and satisfactory reply, and upon the character of her reply the president will base his further action.

"On Monday the report and all the testimony on which it is based will be sent to congress, accompanied by a message from the president.

"The message will be short. It will recite the facts, the reason why the Maine was sent to Havana, the circumstances surrounding her visit, and the efforts which have been made to arrive at the truth concerning her fate."

ABANDON THE MAINE

Naval Officers Will be Withdrawn From Havana

And the Hulk of the Submerged Ship Will be Destroyed by Dynamite.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The navy department has arranged for the practical withdrawal of all its naval officers at Havana, and the abandonment of the wreck of the ill-fated battleship Maine.

Capt. C. D. Sigsbee, Lieutenant Commander Richard Wainwright, Surgeon L. G. Henberger, Paymaster Ray, Chaplain John P. Chidwick, Chief Engineer Chas H. Howell, and Naval Cadets J. A. Holden and W. T. Cluverius, who have been in Havana with the wreck, will return very soon.

Secretary Long said this forenoon in answer to an inquiry on the subject that he had no reason for the officers to remain at Havana much longer and the probability was that they would be ordered home in a day or two. Captain Sigsbee, he said, would come to Washington as soon as convenient, but as yet nothing had been settled in regard to his future duty.

It might be necessary for Lieutenant Commander Wainwright, who is in special charge of the wrecked vessel, to remain there a short time longer, or at least until it is finally settled that the wreck cannot be raised and that there is no prospect of the recovery of any other portions of the ship or its equipments. It might be necessary also for one of the naval cadets to remain, but this is not regarded as probable.

The return of Surgeon Heneberger and Chaplain Chidwick will depend upon the question of whether they are able to render any further service. Although it is not finally settled, it is more than probable that the Fern will return to the United States as soon as it is determined that nothing more is to be gained by her presence there. In the event of the abandonment of the wreck it is more than likely that the navy department will arrange for its complete destruction by the use of dynamite or torpedoes. In its present condition it is a dangerous obstruction to navigation, and it is not believed that any opposition will be offered to its removal.

Stylish neckwear at Reuben S. Patterson's.

GREAT FLOODS.

Whole Sections of Country Inundated.

Bridges and Embankments Carried Away

And Railway Traffic Seriously Impeded.

A Baltimore and Ohio Passenger Train Plunges Into the River Near Zanesville.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 23.—A special to the Dispatch from Frazeysburg, Ohio, says:

On account of high waters on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad between Zanesville and Newark, a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train, No. 105, with four cars, was running over the Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley and Panhandle as second 21. About three miles east of Frazeysburg high waters had undermined the roadbed for 200 yards. The train struck the hanging track at the rate of forty-five miles an hour, throwing the engine, Pullman and day coach from the track. The day coach, engine and the tender were completely submerged. The train was running in reverse order, the engine being coupled to the Pullman.

Fireman Heacock had a very narrow escape from being drowned, being rescued by the engineer and Pilot Sawer.

No one was seriously injured, but a few received cuts and bruises. Passengers and crew were brought to the shore in boats.

WORST IN HISTORY.

The Scioto Breaks All Previous High Water Records.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 23.—The worst local flood in the history of the Scioto river is in progress here. Thirteen of fifteen railroads cannot get trains in or out of the city. Fifty families at least are homeless and 500 more houses are flooded. No lives lost so far. The west side waterworks and street electric light house are out of service. The east side waterworks are still running. The water is on a stand, but the sky is cloudy and rain is falling.

DANGER LINE.

The Ohio River Passes That Point Today.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 23.—The rain still continues. The river at 10 a. m. reached the danger line and was rising four inches an hour.

The real danger point is fifty feet. It requires over fifty-three to reach the railway track. With the river rising rapidly from Pittsburg to Cincinnati and the great Miami pouring in an unusual flood below Cincinnati, and with the rain still falling, it is difficult to see how a disasterous flood can be avoided.

Rivermen and others hope for the early appearance of cold weather to check the flood.

Meantime the usual precautions are taken to remove goods from the cellars and floors that can be reached by high water.

GREAT MIAMI THREATENING.

MIDDLETON, Ohio, March 23.—The Great Miami river is higher here than at any time since 1866, when almost the entire city was under water. The state dam has broken, causing the hydraulic water to run into the canal.

Its banks threaten to be overflowed into the streets. The breaking of the reservoir bank would undoubted cause loss of life.

All the paper mills have stopped. Water is ten or twelve feet in the cellars. No trains are running and the city is shut off from all travel by rail today.

TRAFFIC SUSPENDED.

The Panhandle Road Inundated in the State of Ohio.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—The latest reports received at the office of Superintendent J. F. Miller, of the Panhandle, show that the road is practically closed to traffic. The bridges between Steubenville, Columbus and Dennison are covered with water, and it is feared they will be swept away.

All through trains are coming in over the Fort Wayne.

The Wheeling branch of the Panhandle is in bad condition and no trains are being run on the New Cumberland branch. The Chartiers branch has not been interfered with to any extent.

Telegrams from many towns east and north of Pittsburg indicate heavy loss from the high water. Kittanning is entirely cut off from telegraphic and railroad communications. Half the business houses are flooded and several county bridges have been swept away.

At Dubois the water is higher than it has been since the Johnstown flood. The Second and Third wards are submerged and the people are moving about in boats.

A Leader dispatch says Sabula dam, about four miles above Dubois, is expected to break. If it does many lives will be lost.

The railroad tracks are washed away and traffic is completely blocked.

On the Fort Wayne road Luksdale and Fair Oaks are under water. Considerable damage is reported to private property.

Much damage is being caused in and about Braddock. Many families have been forced to leave their homes and several manufactories have suspended operations.

The Westinghouse works at East Pittsburg and the Braddock Wire works are both flooded and shut down.

Scores of families in the Turtle Creek valley are leaving their houses and are moving their furniture to the hillsides.

In many cases the water has reached the second story windows. At 1 o'clock this afternoon the water was still rising here, with twenty-six feet, nine inches on the marker.

Water is in the cellars of the Alvin, Bijou and Duquesne theaters and the hotels Arlington, Victoria and Anderson, but no serious trouble is anticipated.

THE FORT WAYNE BLOCKED

High Waters at Canton Compell a Suspension of Traffic.

CANTON, Ohio, March 23.—One of the heaviest rain storms in the city's history was experienced last night and the greater part of the east end of the city is under water today.

Heavy damage will result. The Fort Wayne road is unable to move trains either east or west, the tracks being in many places under water.

No trains are being run on the Cleveland, Canton and Southern railroad south of here on account of washouts.

A cloudburst seems to have struck the latter line near Sherrodsville, as portions of the track are entirely washed away.

The Cleveland and Valley Terminal road is unable to run trains in either directions owing to submerged tracks.

DAYTON IN DANGER.

The Miami River Far Over Its Banks.

DAYTON, Ohio, March 23.—Dayton is in worse danger than at any time since 1866, when the central part of the city was flooded.

The Miami river shows eighteen and two-tenths feet at the government gauge and is rising. Last year when about $50,000 damage was done the river's highest mark was sixteen and four-tenths feet.

North Dayton is completely under water and about three hundred houses are almost covered.

There were several narrow escapes but no lives are reported lost. The backwater is doing great damage below the city.

Three of the six trolley lines in the city are blocked and the steam railroads north of the city are demoralized.

At this writing the levees protecting Miami City and Riverdale, very populous sections, are in danger and every effort is being made to strengthen the levees.

The water is in the cellars in the central portion of the city and large and valuable stocks of merchandise will undoubtedly suffer so that the loss in that direction alone will be tremendous.

HIGH WATER AT RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, Ind., March 23.—Heavy floods are doing incalculable damage. The large bridge over Whitewater river has been destroyed by fire and water. The city electric light plant is drowned out. The Starr piano factory and the Nixon paper mill have suffered heavy loss. Many people have been driven from their homes. The streets are badly damaged.

THE DANGER LINE.

Allegheny and Monongahela Rivers Swollen by Rains.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—The Allegheny and Monongahela rivers will, in all probability, reach a stage of thirty feet of water tonight. Tremendous rains fell at all points in the two upper valleys last night and the water is rushing towards Pittsburg at a very rapid rate.

At 11 a. m. the Monongahela marks had reached a stage of twenty-six feet, and the river is rising about three inches an hour. The following districts are already flooded: All of Allegheny, south of Robison street and South avenue; River avenue and Upper Robinson street and the upper districts traversed by the Pittsburg and Wabash railroad; the lower bottoms of Woods' Run; lower districts of Saw Mill Run; lower districts of McKees' Rocks and Esblen borough and all the low lands between the Davis Island dam and Beaver; Sharpsburg and Millvale districts and the lower districts of the upper end of Allegheny and Pittsburg on the Allegheny river, including the Allegheny Valley railroad tracks in the vicinity of Kelly station.

The reports from the upper river stations in reference to the rain fall received by the Pittsburg weather bureau show that from one-half to nearly three inches of rain fell at different headwater points during the night.

Great damage is reported and fears are entertained that the flood will be as great as in 1884. About 5 o'clock there was a sudden rise in the Allgheny river and a clean sweep was made on the Allegheny side between Chestnut street and the railroad bridge. All coal flats, coal boats, shanty boats, rafts and everything afloat were swept away,

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ADVISES PEACE.

Senator Bacon Wants no War With Spain.

He Offers a Resolution in the Senate.

United States, While Strong, Wants No Conflict.

Believes Every Effort Should be Made to Settle Difficulties Without Resort to Arms.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Anticipated discussion of the Cuban question was the magnet which drew an unusually large crowd of interested spectators to the galleries of the senate today. Some time before the senate convened the public and reserved galleries were packed and long lines of people swayed through the corridors, eagerly seeking the admission it was impossible, on account of the limited gallery space, for them to obtain

On the senate floor the interest was no less than in the galleries.

The chamber gradually filled during the disposition of the routine morning business until almost every senator at the capital was in his seat

Mr. Tillman announced that he would, next Tuesday, at 3 p. m., ask the senate to consider the resolutions upon the death of his colleague, the late Senator Earle.

Mr. Bacon, of Georgia, presented the following joint resolution:

"That the government and people of the United States, while avowing that at all times, and to the utmost limit, they will maintain their national honor and protect their material interests; and while they will count no cost of blood or treasure which may be necessary for the accomplishment of this high resolve, nevertheless declare that it is their desire to live at peace with all the nations and peoples of the earth.

"That supremely confident in the loyalty and patriotic devotion of the people of every class and of every section of the country, strong in more than 70,000,000 of people, brave and ready for any personal sacrifice the honor and safety of their government may require of them, and rich in the possession of material resources practically without limit, the United States nevertheless desires and intend in the present threatening emergency, earnestly and patiently to use every practicable and honorable means to preserve peace as far as the same may be consistent with the honor of the nation and with their duty to themselves and to others.

"That while unswerving in their purpose to fully protect the honor and the property of the nation as well as the persons of its citizens, and while determined upon the performance of their duty to humanity and to a neighboring people struggling for liberty, the United States, desiring peace and deprecating war, will in good faith endeavor to accomplish these ends, consistently with national honor, through peaceful agencies and without unnecessary resort to war and bloodshed."

Mr. Bacon said that owing to the importance of the resolution he would not ask for its immediate consideration, but would permit it to lie on the table until tomorrow.

Very quietly and with no attempt to produce effect, the bill providing for the relief of the survivors of the Maine disaster was presented to the senate for consideration. Mr. Hale, chairman of the naval affairs committee, reported the bill favorably and asked that it be placed at once upon its passage. The bill was read and without a word of debate was unanimously passed without amendment.

Then in accordance with notice given yesterday Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, was recognized for a speech upon the condition of affairs in Cuba.

Mr. Gallinger has recently returned from the island. He received the most careful and thoughtful attention of every person within sound of his voice.

BOYS HIS PATRONS.

Saloonist Niemann Arrested and Fined.

Allowed Boys to Resort in His Place—Woodruff Goes to Prison—News of the Courts.

Benjamin Niemann, proprietor of a saloon at the corner of Harmer street and Maumee avenue, was fined $10 and costs by Justice Tancey today for allowing minors to play pool in his place. He entered a plea of guilty. There has been much complaint that Niemann permitted young lads to congregate at his resort and enjoy the saloon pastimes the law proscribes in the case of minors. Parents of some of these lads grew indignant and filed the affidavits on which Niemann was arrested.

WOODRUFF SENTENCED.

A. J. Woodruff, who was arrested some days ago for a robbery he committed on Lafayette street, was arraigned in the circuit court for trial and the case was heard by Judge O'Rourke, who found Woodruff guilty and sentenced him to from one to three years in the penitentiary.

NEW TRIAL ARGUED.

Judge Heller, of Decatur, is sitting as special judge in the superior court today, listening to argument of motion for a new trial in the suit of Brown vs. the city. This is one of the Lakeside accident suits in which a jury found damages against the city.

OTHER COURT NEWS

Today the county officials made an inspection of St. Joseph hospital and Hope hospital. Everything about both places was reported to be in first-class condition. The commissioners report that they found the state of affairs at the county infirmary eminently satisfactory and gratifying.

In the superior court Emmett Martin has sued George Crance, et al, for $65 on mechanic's lein.

Sheriff Melching left this afternoon for Michigan City with John Zaner and Benson McKinzie, who will serve sentences, respectively, for fraud and incest.

In the superior court in the suit of the Tri-State Building and Loan association vs. Alfred Grindle, et al., judgments for $3,458 36 have been awarded plaintiff and in favor of J. D. Paine for $729.

LICENSED TO WED.

Louis Schoonover and Celia Botteron.

Charles W. Snyder and Mary A. Elizabeth Snyder.

ALL WERE LOST.

Bark Helen W. Almy Wrecked at Sea Off the Golden Gate.

Forty Men Were Drowned—Passengers Were Bound for the Gold Fields of Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Forty lives are believed to have been lost a few miles outside the Golden Gate by the capsizing of the bark Helen W. Almy during the storm which has been raging off the coast for the last two or three days.

Twenty-seven of those lost were passengers bound for Cooper River ports and other points in the Alaskan gold fields. The other thirteen were the captain and crew of the vessel, which left this port Sunday night.

The first intimation of the wreck was brought here yesterday by Captain Alexander of the Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer Santa Nosa, who reported that early this morning, while nine miles off Point Bonita, at the mouth of the Golden Gate, he sighted a derelict bottom up.

The tug Sea Witch was dispatched to the point indicated, and found the derelict to be the Helen W. Almy.

The bark lay upon her starboard side with her stern low down in the water, her deck hamper badly wrecked and several planks of her hull washed loose by the seas which broke over her. While there were no signs of boats among the wreckage, it is not believed that her passengers and crew escaped by putting off from the vessel in them, as there has been a very heavy sea for several days past. Furthermore, no word has been received from the survivors, if any exist, although the derelict was sighted within ten miles of the shore, and fully forty-eight hours have passed since the wreck occurred.

DAMP SNOW

Adds to the Discomforts of the Floods.

St. Louis, Mo., March 23.—A regular blizzard prevails in St. Louis and vicinity, extending down into Arkansas and part of Illinois.

The temperature shows a drop of forty-eight degrees since yesterday.

The ground is covered with heavy wet snow, something unprecedented for this season of the year. The heavy rains of the past few days have caused all rivers in Missouri to rise rapidly.

The Osage and Casconade especially are pouring floods of water into the Missouri, which in turn flows into the Mississippi. The gauge here is 1.9 feet higher than was registered yesterday. It is expected that by tomorrow all low lands on the Mississippi as far up as the mouth of the Illinois river, will be under water. Damage from the risings in this is feared, as the rivers are very high.

At St Charles the Missouri has risen at an alarming rate, threatening to overflow a large area and covering the best farming lands in the state. The melting snow will add much to the rising waters. Only a few of the incoming trains reached Union station on time today. The belated ones were anywhere from two to seven hours behind time. The delays were caused by the washouts and landslides.

All the streams about Nashville, Ill., are overflowing their banks and the Okawa river is on the rampage. Wheat fields are overflowed and the bottom lands north of Covington are submerged, the Okawa being five miles wide at that point. The new iron bridge there is in danger of being washed away.

After an illness of several months James Turner yesterday resumed his position as foreman at the Coombs hardware store on Columbia street.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Council Selects Inspectors and Voting Places.

Three More Voting Precincts Were Necessary.

The Curfew Petition Referred to a Committee.

The Residents of Brooklyn Avenue Ask for Water Mains—Routine Business Transacted.

The city council met last evening with twelve members present. There was considerable business to be transacted, but when the city dads got started it did not take them long to dispose of it. The most important matter was the report of the committee on elections, which was received and adopted without any dissenting votes.

The mayor reported that he had approved ordinances passed at the previous meeting, and the finance committee reported that they found Comptroller Bergdoff's annual report correct. The report of the water works trustees was approved.

Councilman Weller presented a petition signed by most of the residents on Brooklyn avenue (formerly Chicago street) asking that water mains be laid along that thoroughfare. The petition was referred to the water works committee.

Mrs. Emma Hahn submitted a communication in which she demanded $200 damages for injuries received in a fall on Griffith street, the fall resulting from a defective sidewalk. The communication was referred to the finance committee.

The special committee to which was referred the matter of preparing a new ordinance to govern the natural gas franchise reported that they favored the report made by the committee at a previous meeting.

The petition of the Berry street M. E. church Epworth league for the passage of a curfew ordinance was referred to the committee on education.

The report of the election committee was received. They reported forty seven precincts, the voting places and the names of forty-seven inspectors. The precincts were increased by three and the voting places and inspectors are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First Precinct—Voting place, Dittoe's grocery, St. Joe boulevard. Inspector of election, C. J. Wilder.

Second Precinct—Voting place, 231 East Wayne street. Inspector of election, C. F. Eme.

Third Precinct—Voting place, 223 East Jefferson street. Inspector of election, Jacob Hartman.

Fourth Precinct—Voting place, 147 Hanna street. Inspector of election, Charles Barner.

Fifth Precinct—Voting place, 198 Hanna street. Inspector of election, Fred Vollmer.

SECOND WARD.

Sixth Precinct—Voting place, 43 East Columbia street. Inspector of election, A. A. Martin.

Seventh Precinct—Voting place, 57 Clinton street. Inspector of election, Nicholas Heine.

Eighth Precinct—Voting place, 154 Barr street, Lauer's barber shop. Inspector of election, Patrick Ryan.

Ninth Precinct—Voting place, 231 Lafayette street.—Inspector of election, Chas. A. Tripple.

THIRD WARD.

Tenth Precinct—Voting place, 74 West Main street. Inspector of election, Joseph V. Fox.

Eleventh Precint—Voting place, F. Meyer's livery barn, Washington boulevard. Inspector of election, A. Wolf.

Twelfth Precinct—Voting place, 212½ Calhoun street. Inspector of election, Louis Jocquel.

Thirteenth Precinct — Voting place, 13 Highland street. Inspector of election, James Conroy.

Fourteenth Precinct — Voting place, 374½ Calhoun street. Inspector of election, William Orr.

FOURTH WARD.

Fifteenth Precinct—Voting place, Liebman's carpenter shop, Pearl street. Inspector of election, Louis C. Schroeder.

Sixteenth Precinct—Voting place, 97 Broadway, (rear). Inspector of election, C. F. Muhler.

Seventeenth Precinct — Voting place, Hilgerman's grocery. Inspector of election, John C. Grimme.

Eighteenth Precinct — Voting place, 11 Lavina street. Inspector of election, Joseph Nichter.

Nineteenth Precint—Voting place, 7 Colerick street. Inspector of election, Casper Schmidt.

Twentieth Precinct—Voting place, 80 Fairfield avenue. Inspector of election, Chas. Franke.

FIFTH WARD.

Twenty-first Precinct — Voting place, Orff's mill. Inspector of election, Ed. Wilson.

Twenty-second Precinct—Voting place, Rippe's livery barn, Broadway. Inspector of election, A. L. Griebel.

Twenty-third Precinct—Voting place, 134 Broadway. Inspector of election, Henry Hilbrecht.

Twenty-fourth Precinct—Voting place, 178½ Broadway. Inspector of election, Joseph Singmaster.

Twenty fifth Precinct — Voting place, 385 West Main street. Inspector of election, Daniel Hutzell.

SIXTH WARD.

Twenty-sixth Precinct — Voting place, 276 Broadway. Inspector of election, William Bock.

Twenty-seventh Precinct—Voting place, 498 Broadway. Inspector of election, Julius Remus.

Twenty-eighth Precinct—Voting place, South Wayne Town hall. Inspector of election, Edward Suter.

Twenty-ninth Precinct—Voting place, No. 7 Poplar street. Inspector of election, John Dalman.

Thirtieth Precinct—Voting place, Driebert's carpenter shop, rear of 91 West DeWald street. Inspector of election, John Welch.

SEVENTH WARD.

Thirty-first Precinct — Voting place, 357 South Calhoun street. Inspector of election, George Jacoby.

Thirty-second precinct — Voting place, 457 South Calhoun street. Inspector of election, James H. Fry.

Thirty-third Precinct — Voting place, 101 Wallace street. Inspector of election, John Baker.

Thirty-fourth Precinct — Voting place, 393 Lafayette street. Inspector of election, John Franke.

EIGHTH WARD.

Thirty-fifth Precinct — Voting place, 417 East Wayne street. Inspector of election, S. Freistoffer.

Thirty sixth Precinct — Voting place, 377½ East Washington street. Inspector of election, Wm. Doehrman.

Thirty-seventh precinct—Voting place, 367½ East Lewis street. Inspector of election, John Smith.

Thirty-eighth Precinct — Voting place, corner Ohio and Eliza streets. Inspector of election, Charles Krudop.

Thirty-ninth Precinct — Voting place, 30 Grant avenue. Inspector of election, Chas. M. Becker.

NINTH WARD.

Fortieth Precinct—Voting place, in rear of Brink's drug store. Inspector of election, J. B. Lassus.

Forty-first Precinct—Voting place, 78 High street, Pape's office. Inspector of election, Henry Leinker.

Forty-second Precinct — Voting place, 167 Huffman street. Inspector of election, George Henkenius.

Forty-third Precinct — Voting place, 114 St. Mary's avenue. Inspector of election, Barney Brennah.

TENTH WARD.

Forty-fourth Precinct — Voting place, 35 Force street. Inspector of election, B. Roth.

Forty-fifth Precinct—Voting place, Berndt cigar factory, in rear of 145 John street. Inspector of election, A. Kramer.

Forty-sixth Precinct — Voting place, 56 Thomas street. Inspector of election, A. D. Craig.

Forty-seventh Precinct—Voting place, 35 Julia street. Inspector of election, William Stephan.

THE ENGINE HOUSES.

The board of works this morning examined the plans and specifications for the new engine houses to be erected in Nebraska and on Fairfield avenue. The houses will be exactly alike except that that there will be more excavating done about the Fairfield house than about the other. The board will tomorrow night prepare to advertise for bids, which will be opened the first or second week in April. The contracts for the two houses will be let separately.

NEW HOSE WAGONS.

The board of safety will tomorrow advertise for bids for three new hose wagons. The board will open the bids at the meeting April 1. The wagons will probably be built by Fort Wayne manufacturers.

HIGH WATERS.

Low Lands Overflowed and Some Damage Done.

Rudisill's Dam Said to be Dangerous—Along With the Water Came a Touch of Cold Weather.

The intermittent rains of the past few days have caused the rivers in Allen and surrounding counties to overflow their banks, and in some places there has been considerable damage. The lowlands west along the Wabash and Pittsburg roads present the appearance of small lakes, and bridges on many of the small streams are threatened with destruction.

A report gained circulation last evening that the high waters had affected Rudisill's dam, and it might give way at any time. The water has been creeping up all day, and the dam still resists its attempts to force it down. The flats along the St. Mary's are covered with water, which has risen to the doorways of a few buildings.

There was a big fall in temperature during last night and overcoats were the most comfortable piece of wearing apparel today. It was feared that the fruit had been injured, but well posted persons assert that the buds had not developed enough for the weather to affect them.

Simaro Kubota, a Japanese, will give a stereopticon lecture on the "Flowery Kingdom" tonight, at the West Jefferson street Church of Christ. He will be dressed in native costume.

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The Evening Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 1898.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office . . . . . No. 175.
Editorial Rooms . . . . . No. 650.

The Weather

WASHINGTON, March 23.—For Indiana: Rain or snow and colder in southern portions this afternoon and tonight; Thursday, fair and warmer; fresh southerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. Jacob Fry, of 32 John street, is very ill.

Miss Lena Meyer entertained the Minnesa club last evening.

Mrs. M. J. Bitz left for Bluffton today to remain the rest of the week.

The Duodecimo club met today with Mrs. Van Slyke, at 106 East Berry street.

Miss Mayme Fuller has returned from a visit at her home in North Adams, Ind.

Mrs. Leopold Levy, of Huntington, is in the city visiting friends for a few days.

Mrs. Edna Study-Harper, of Terre Haute, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Study.

Mrs. H. H. Bennett, who has been the guest of relatives in the city, went to Logansport today.

Mrs. Noble Olds and daughter, Maribel, left today for a visit with relatives in Grand Rapids.

Charles Davy, of Toledo, is in the city, the guest of his cousins, the Misses Minnie and Belle Geake.

J. E. Meloy, traveling agent of the National Express company, was registered at the Randall hotel today.

Miss Laura Gorham, of Rockford, Ill., will be the guest the latter part of this week of Mrs. W. H. Shambaugh.

Dr. and Mrs. Schick will be at home to their friends after April the 10th at 51 East Washington street.

There were three prisoners in police court this morning, two train jumpers and one vag. The trio were sent to jail.

Miss Phoebe Ellison entertained two tables at progressive pedro last evening in compliment to Miss Mary Rowe, of Chicago.

Two ante nuptial companies were given today for Miss Charlotte Lowry—one a card party this afternoon, given by the Misses Rurode, and a dinner this evening at Miss Kate Hoffman's.

Miss Lillian Schrader has gone to Lima, Ohio, to attend the marriage of Charles Schrader, which occurs there this evening. Drs. Schrader and C. E. Barnett are also in Lima to attend the wedding.

Walter, the ten-days-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Diedrick Kleemeyer, died at the home of his parents, No. 10 Swinney avenue, last evening. The cause of death was exhaustion. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

The Aid Society to Ladies' Auxiliary of Order of Railway Conductors will be entertained by Mrs. Evans, Coleman, Hinne and Oakes, Thursday, from 1 to 5 p. m., at their hall. All O. R. C. ladies and friends are invited.

Miss Elizabeth Knight gave a card party at her home yesterday afternoon in compliment to Miss Charlotte Lowry and her guest, Miss Kate Jackson, of Goshen. Progressive pedro was played, Mrs. Charlie Guild winning first prize.

The meeting of the revival services at the First Baptist church last night was attended by a larger congregation than the previous evening, in spite of the inclement weather, and the interest manifested seems to be earnest and genuine. Rev. L. L. Henson will preach tonight.

Huntington Herald. "At a meeting of the executive committee of Club League, Friday evening, April 8, was selected as the date of its April meeting and reception. It was announced that Mrs. Bursley and Miss Hoagland, of Fort Wayne, had consented to attend the reception and would each deliver a practical talk on club work."

The marriage of Miss Birdora Ellison and Edwin R. Williams, of Virginia City, Nev., occurred at the home of the bride's mother, in Lagrange, Tuesday morning. Only immediate relatives of the family were present. The ceremony occurred at 8 o'clock. The Rev. J. E. Carpenter, of Howe military school, officiated, and the Episcopal service was used. After the ceremony a sumptuous breakfast was served, during which congratulations were tendered the bride and groom. The happy couple left yesterday for Ann Arbor, Mich., which will be their future home. The bride is the daughter of the late Hon. A. Ellison and is one of the prominent young ladies of Lagrange. Hon. and Mrs. T. E. Ellison, of this city, attended the wedding.

Big Reduction on Rice.

50 barrels received direct from Louisiana. Good quality, only a little broken, down to 4c pound.
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Eggs, Butter and Potatoes.

Fresh Country Eggs, 9c dozen.
Best Roll Butter, 18c lb.
Choice Michigan Potatoes, 70c bushel.
South Whitley Flour, $4.65 bbl.
All City Flour best grades, $4.90.
Best Shoulders, 6½c, Best Hams, 9c.
Florida Strawberries and Fresh Southern Vegetables for Thursday morning.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Division No. 3, A. O. H., will meet tomorrow night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Vachot, of Smith street—a son.

Judge Allen Zollars went to Chicago this morning to look after some legal business.

Miss Grace Bass returned home this morning. She left Mr. and Mrs. Bass in New York.

The city of Laporte has granted a franchise to a corporation that purposes the construction of a street railway.

Mrs. L. G. Dailey and son, Rogers, went to Wabash this morning to spend two or three weeks with relatives.

The Summit City Juvenile orchestra held a rehearsal at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holmes last evening.

Joseph Merrilat has recovered from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism, which confined him several months.

Mrs. Johnson, of Findlay, formerly of this city, will be the guest of honor at a pedro party given by Mrs. L. O. Hull tomorrow evening.

Charles D. Logan, superintendent of agents of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, was in the city yesterday on his tour of inspection. He called on District Agent Ten Broek.

Miss Lavonia C. Williams, daughter of Josh Williams, will canvass the south part of the city as subagent under General Agent Houlihan for the sale of Murat Halstead's great history of Cuba.

The college warble will be heard this evening at the Westminster Presbyterian church, the occasion being the concert by the Glee club of Indiana university. The college men have appeared in a great many cities and together with the undoubted musical talent and the humorous songs they give an entertainment that everyone enjoys.

John H. Archer today celebrated his sixty-first birthday anniversary. He was born in Washington township, two miles north of the city. At that time the surrounding country was wild and beasts of all kinds were plentiful. There were plenty of wild cats, bear, panther, deer, etc. He saw Fort Wayne grow from a town of 1,000 to a city of 50,000. Mr. Archer is in excellent health.

Judge D. D. Heller, of Decatur, was in the city over night.

Miss Luella Harding, of Bluffton, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne.

Miss Rebecca Ninde, of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ninde.

R. E. Moss, M. D., of Port Huron, Mich., is registered at the Wayne hotel today.

S. S. Etherlley, of Terre Haute, was registered at the New Aveline last evening.

Will Collins has again taken charge of the news stand at the Randall hotel.

The city directory is now on the press and will be ready for distribution early in May.

L. L. McCormick, of Bluffton, a wealthy oil man, was registered at the New Aveline today.

Zannie McDaniel has left for Portland, Ore., to take a position in the electric light plant there.

W. R. Jones and wife and Miss Belle Jones, of Hartford City, were in the city today between trains.

Charles A. Kelley, of Terre Haute, was in Fort Wayne last night on business. He returned home this morning.

A farmer's team ran away on Barr street this morning and demolished the buggy, but no person was injured.

Mrs. C. E. Cooke, of Paulding, Ohio, arrived in the city this morning and will visit her son, Fred Cooke, for a few days.

J. J. Sullivan, of Chicago, a traveling insurance representative, was in the city today visiting the local agent of his company, Murray Hartnett.

Miss Trace Durkes was yesterday taken from her home, 72 Berthold street, to St. Joseph hospital for treatment. She has been ill for some time.

Charles E. Archer has issued a call for a meeting of the employing job printers of the city to be held in the parlors of the New Aveline hotel this evening.

David Fife will leave Fort Wayne Saturday or Sunday for the west, where he goes to accept the management of one of Rockefeller's great western farms.

A cablegram from Bremen states that the steamship, Kaiser Wilhelm, der Grosse, on which Rev. J. L. Leeper and Dr. N. R. Wenger sailed for Europe, arrived in that port yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Mossman will entertain the ladies of Plymouth Congregational church and their friends on Friday afternoon, from 2 to 5 o'clock, at her home, 328 Washington boulevard.

Hon. Thomas R. Marshall, of Columbia City, was registered at the Wayne hotel. He was en route home and stopped over between trains to discuss the political outlook with Fort Wayne democrats.

The wives and daughters of the members of the A. O. H. will meet at Library hall Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to assist in making arrangements for the coming A. O. H. state convention, to be held in this city next month.

Claude Duval, private secretary to C. S. Crane, general passenger agent of the Wabash, Bert Sharpe and Chas. B. Ullman, of St. Louis, are in the city today visiting their friend, F. J. Stutsman, landlord of the Randall hotel.

Professor Feiertag, of Madison, Wis., has accepted the call extended to him by the St. Paul's Lutheran congregation or this city, to take a place as teacher in the St. Paul school here. He is expected to arrive in a few days.

The following Scottish Rite Masons are attending the spring convocation at Indianapolis this week: J. M. Henry, J. T. Dougall, A. R. Walter, Dr. E. L. Siver, Dr. S. H. Havice, M. S. Mahurin, M. J. Blitz, E. C. Rurode and Byron Hattersley.

Professor Bitting will not be able to deliver the promised address during his visit here Friday. He will talk to Fort Wayne citizens on impure milk at some future day and will entertain them with stereopticon views on different conditions of milk.

The Ladies' society of Westminster church will meet tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the Misses Keel's, 145 West Superior street. There will be literary work furnished by the committee, which will make the meeting an interesting one.

Professor Bitting, of Purdue university, will arrive in the city Friday morning, to begin the tests of dairy cattle. The work will occupy two days, and all tests will be made free. City Bacteriologist Drayer received a letter from Professor Bitting yesterday, and is busily engaged preparing for the work.

Preparations for the state convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians are progressing rapidly. The meeting will convene on April 19, and a day and a half will be occupied in getting through the accumulated two years' business. Half a day will be spent in sight-seeing, and on the evening of the 20th a banquet will be given in honor of the visitors. Hon. William P. Breen will be Bishop Rademacher, State President John W. O'Hara, of Peru, and State Treasurer M. J. O'Brien, of Richmond.

Office Seeking the Man.

This is a clear case of the office seeking the man, as we are looking for the man who will buy our office desks, etc., suitable for a wholesale or manufacturing business. Will be sold at a bargain, as we have no use for them.
THE GREATEST GROCERY.

Ten tables of new spring suits at REIDER'S, PATTERSON'S.

Late Red Cranberries 5c quart at The Greatest Grocery.

J. I. White is in St. Louis.

J. S. Cain, of Andrews, was in the city last evening.

Mrs. Apn, of West Washington street, is ill with pneumonia.

William C. Verney, of Williamsport, Pa., is visiting in the city.

Cyrus Whitney, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne.

George B. Walker has accepted a position in the Foster furniture store.

Joe Kirchheimer is in Fort Wayne on business. Joe is located now in Chicago.

Miss Carina Banning is the guest of her father, Dr. E. P. Banning, at the Wayne.

Dr. Henry Humrichouser, of Pierceton, visited friends in Fort Wayne last evening.

George McCurdy and Otto Rothschild have accepted positions in the Globe clothing house.

Mrs. Charles Bash entertained a few young people as a surprise to her son, Charlie, last evening.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll will lecture on "Liberty," at the Princess rink, on the evening of April 29.

Rex Dryer will return from Ann Arbor on Friday and will be the guest of Edward Reitze for a week.

W. J. Holt has returned to the city from a trip in Indiana towns in the interest of the automatic banjo.

Professor Adams will deliver a lecture to the students of the College of Expression Thursday evening.

Mrs. Olive Fleming and nephew, Donald Miller, of Buffalo, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wise.

J. B. Neizer, of Monroeville, ex-county auditor, was in the city today shaking hands with his many friends.

Alf Hattersley went hunting near Rome City yesterday. If his money doesn't run out he will bring home some game.

Lottie, the eleven-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Prince, fell and sprained her ankle and is confined to her home.

Miss Clara Minnewisch, of South Hanna street, entertained friends Monday evening at pedro, the occasion being the anniversary of her birth.

D. C. Fitch is entertaining Prof. E. B. Newton, of Cleveland. Professor Newton will give a recital at the College of Expression next Monday evening.

The Lakeside Aid society held a social last evening at the home of Mrs. E. F. Tierney, on Columbia avenue. A small sum of money was realized.

Manager O'Meara this afternoon received a letter from James McKevitt in which Fort Wayne's former center fielder asks to be reinstated on the team.

I. U. Glee club which sings at Westminster church tonight, gave a concert at Warsaw last evening. After hearing them, Rev. Dickey wired E. F. Yarnelle to engage the club for a week at Winona.

Oscar Litt has returned from a trip to surrounding towns in the interest of his shows. He has made many contracts and anticipates a profitable season. Norton & Jones' circus, owned by Dr. Litt, will open the season May 14.

Hugh Dix and Ed O'Meara are out at Lakeside park this afternoon putting the ground in shape for the spring practice. In less than two weeks the players will report, and it will be impossible for them to do any work on the new park.

Ex-City Clerk Rudy C. Reinewald was pleasantly surprised last evening at his home, on Masterson street, by a number of his friends, who, accompanied by their wives, called to assist him in the proper celebration of his forty-first birthday anniversary.

ANOTHER WELL.

The Hartzell Oil Company Will Locate It Tomorrow.

The directors of the Hartzell oil well at the meeting held in New Haven yesterday decided to put down another well. Tomorrow they will visit the oil fields and determine where to locate the well.

The capacity of the present well demonstrates that beyond question oil in paying quantities is underneath Allen county soil, and the Hartzwell company is after it.

STRIKE IMMINENT.

River Coal Miners Demand Fulfillment of Chicago Agreement.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—A general strike of river coal miners will be inaugurated on April 2, unless all of the conditions of the Chicago agreement are conformed with by that date, or the operators agree to pay the men upon a run of the mine basis. A strike will effect about 5,000 men.

SPRING OVERCOATS.

In all shades and grades, at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Extra fine Braunschweiger Liverwurst, at The Greatest Grocery.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Wheat—May, $1.01½; July, 81½c; Sept., 77c, Dec., 77½c.

Corn—March, 28½c; May, 28⅞c; July, 30½c; Sept., 31½c.

Oats—March, 25½@25¾c; May, 25½@26c; July, 23½c.

Pork—March, $9.65; May, $9.70; July, $9.77.

Lard—March, $5.00; May, $5.05; July, $5.12.

Ribs—March, $5.00; May, $5.00; July, $5.05.

Barley—Cash, No. 3, 34@42c.

Rye—Cash, 48½c; May, 49½c.

Flax—Cash, $1.17½; N. W., $1.20½; May, $1.19½; Sept., $1.07@1.07¼.

Timothy—March, $2.85.

WELL WON REST.

Hon. Jacob Hillegass Departs This Life.

Passed Away Tuesday at His Huntertown Home.

Four Score Years Well Spent on Earth.

Mr. Hillegass Had Served in Many Positions of Trust and His Death Will be a Loss to the County.

Tuesday, March 22, at his home, near Huntertown, occurred the death of Jacob Hillegass, a man who for more than half a century had been prominently identified with the affairs of Allen county and northern Indiana.

Jacob Hillegass was born February 7, 1818, in Montgomery county, Ohio. He was united in marriage May 26, 1841, in Butler county, Ohio, to Miss Lucy A. Powell. Seven children were born to them, five of whom survive him, as follows: Jerry, Hezekiah, Mrs. S. J. Stahl, Mrs. S. B. McManus and Mrs. L. A. West.

The deceased came to Allen county April 14, 1843, and located at Huntertown, where he has ever since lived, and has devoted the greater part of his life to farming. He was among the most successful and enterprising farmers of northern Indiana and was in the advance guard of progressive agriculture. His home, near the village of Huntertown, is well known as being of the most beautiful places in the country.

His educational advantages were somewhat limited but he availed himself to the utmost of his school privileges and throughout his long life was an eager student, an earnest seeker after knowledge and was a true promoter of education and general progress, acting his part nobly in life's great drama.

Mr. Hilligass held many positions of trust, the last being the office of county commissioner, to which he was elected in October, 1869, and re-elected three years later, serving in that capacity six years. He was noted among his constituents as a man of energy, marked decision of character and of the most unflinching integrity. He was a communicant of the Presbyterian church for fifty-five years and was a faithful and consistant member of this society—universally liked and respected, and a man without an enemy. For the past year he has been in failing health, his illness being a complication of diseases. Since New Year's Mr. Hillegass had been a great but patient sufferer, until called to his reward. The funeral will take place Saturday at 1:30 p. m., from the Cemetry church at Huntertown.

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JEFFRIES' EASY WIN.

Jackson Lasts Three Rounds—Californian Has Peter Helpless Early.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 23.—The Jeffries-Jackson fight last night in the third round, the decision being given to Jeffries. The decision was generally well accepted, as Jackson was a beaten man after the knock-down at the end of the second round. In fact, after the first round no expert would have given a nickel for Jackson's chances. Though his color was good, his stomach was entirely too full, his legs were weak and his eye lacked luster.

At the end of the first round Jeffries seconds evidently coached him to make an aggressive fight. He pushed Jackson all around the ring and soon after the opening of the round landed heavily on Jackson's jaw. The blow was not delivered with full force, but he watched his chance and soon landed another on the point of the jaw, which knocked Jackson to the carpet. He took his time and rose very groggy. A moment after Jeffries landed another trip-hammer blow on the jaw and Jackson went down a second time. Call of time alone saved him, as he reeled into the corner, supported by his seconds.

It was evident he could not last another round. He feinted for a time at the opening of the third round, but Jeffries gave him no breathing spell, landing first on the wind and then delivering several rapid blows right and left on the jaw. Jackson could not protect himself, and hung helpless on the ropes. Captain Whitmann entered the ring and stopped the fight, as it was plainly evident Jackson was a beaten man. The referee then gave the fight to Jeffries.

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Fancy Florida Strawberries, 25c quart, at The Greatest Grocery.

Neat and nobby are the patterns, and a perfect fit guaranteed, in our spring suits. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 70 E. Main street. 11tf

Tickets for Vincent Course of Lectures on sale at Woodworth's Drug Store and Lehman's Book Store. Lectures March 28, 29, April 4 and 5.
14,16,19 21,22,23,24,25,26,28

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Card of Thanks.

We desire in this way to express our thanks to the railroad men and our friends for their kindness in our sad bereavement.
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We have just received a most beautiful line of ladies' large ascot puff scarfs. They are the swell thing and guaranteed to be the correct style, now so popular in New York. Ladies are respectfully invited to inspect them.
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Ladies' Fine Vici Kid Lace Shoes, hand sewed flexible soles, new coin toe, a perfect beauty, cheap at $3.00; you can't buy them for less than $3.00 at any store in America; sizes run 2 1-2 to 8, widths AA to E. See this big snap all this week.

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Do Your Trading at the Boston Store. We have many Bargains to Offer This Week.

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Received of Tribe of Ben Hur $1,000, full amount of certificate held by my husband, who was killed Sunday, Feb. 28, only seven days intervening between his death and payment of claim. I desire to express my gratitude to the order for their prompt payment and to the members of the local court for their sympathy in my great bereavement.
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BABY'S SKIN

LOOKS LIKE WAR.

Lieutenant Marix Says "It Surely Does."

Others in His Party Are More Emphatic

And Say They "Cannot See How It Can be Avoided."

Other Officers Signs Are Apparent Everywhere—Great Britain Believes Hostilities Are Inevitable.

MIAMI, Fla., March 23.—Lieutenant Commander Marix, of the Maine court of inquiry, with the following party, arrived here this morning from Key West: Lieutenant John Hood, Lieutenant C. W. Junger, Past Assistant Engineer F. A. Bowor, Cadets Amon Bronson and F. Boyde, Assistant Engineer J. R. Morris and Carpenter G. M. Helm.

A few minutes later they left by the East Coast railway for Washington. Lieutenant Commander Marix was very reticent, but when your correspondent said: "It looks like war?" he replied:

"It surely does."

Others of the party in answer to the same question were more emphatic in their replies, one saying:

"I cannot see how it can be avoided."

Another, in answer to the same question, said:

"There will be no war."

His face was as genial and bright as sunshine, but suddenly a change came over his countenance, his eyes flashed fire, and when asked which their report would be made, the reply was:

"As soon as we reach Washington; there will be no delay."

The strong impression left here was that the board's report would be against the accident theory.

MONITOR TERROR.

The Ship Has Been Ordered to Key West.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—Secretary Long today telegraphed orders to Captain Ludlow, of the Monitor Terror now at New York, to proceed at once to Key West and report to Admiral Sicard.

The Terror will be permanently attached to the squadron at Key West. It is said that she takes the place of the Massachusetts and Texas which have gone to Hampton Roads, and that this move has been contemplated for more than a week.

TURRETED MONITORS.

Relics of the War of the Rebellion Put into Service.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23.—Secretary Long at noon today determined to bring into service the eight old single turreted monitors used during the war and now lying at Longue Island navy yard, Philadelphia. He issued orders that the monitors Catskill and Lehigh proceed to Boston and the monitors Nahant and Jason to New York. The other monitors Manhattan, Mahoho, Montauk and Canonicus will remain in Philadelphia where the work of preparing them for service will begin immediately.

AN OMINOUS SIGN.

English Ship Owners Now Insert the "War Clause" in Charters.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Evening World says:

An ominous sign that the strained relations between the United States and Spain will result in war is furnished by English ship owners, who cabled to their agents here that all charters must contain the "war clause." This clause, which is posted in the maritime exchange is as follows:

"It is understood steamer is to be only employed in strictly neutral trades; is not to carry contraband cargo or trade with ports declared under blockade; also in the event of war being declared, by or against Great Britain by maritime power this charter is to be null and void at the end of the current voyage."

DARE NOT TALK.

Get Lieutenant Blandin Says Naval Court's Report Will be Correct.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 23.—Lieutenant John J. Blandin, of Baltimore, who was officer of the deck on the battleship Maine when the vessel was blown up in Havana harbor on the night of February 15, and who was one of the most important witnesses before the naval court of inquiry at Key West and Havana, arrived here last night from Key West. To a reporter Lieutenant Blandin said:

"Of course you know that I, in common with the other officers and men who were on the Maine at the time of the explosion, am under iron-clad orders forbidding the giving of information about the explosion. I left Havana the day after the explosion and, until last Thursday, have been in Key West. I have been before the court of inquiry and have told them all I know, and when they have rendered their verdict, you may bank on it that it will be the correct one. It was composed of brainy, careful and cool men, who know what they are doing and are doing it thoroughly. I have received orders to report on Thursday in Washington in order to stand an examination for promotion to the rank of lieutenant commander."

Lieutenant Blandin was asked whether there was much feeling or excitement in Havana or Key West. He replied that if there was any he did not see it.

"General Fitzhugh Lee is certainly the right man in the right place, and is doing great work in Havana," said Lieutenant Blandin. "I saw him the night of the explosion when he came on board the City of Washington to see Captain Sigsbee."

Lieutenant Blandin said that he could say nothing about the probability of war, but if there was to be any fighting he thought that the greater part of it would be done by the navy.

EXTERNAL EXPLOSION.

President McKinley Knows How the Maine Was Destroyed.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Walter Wellman, the Washington correspondent of the Times-Herald, wires the following special to his newspaper:

"The battleship Maine was wrecked by an external explosion.

"This is the verdict of the naval court of inquiry.

"President McKinley knows that this is the finding of the court. He learned the fact today through a telegram from Admiral Sicard, sent in the naval code.

"He was prepared for this verdict by a letter which reached Secretary Long last Saturday, being brought to this city by Lieutenant Blow.

"The verdict of the court, while finding that the ship was destroyed by an external explosion, does not locate the exact cause, and therefore throws only a general responsibility upon Spain.

"President McKinley has now fully decided what he will do concerning the report of the court.

"The document itself is expected to reach Washington Thursday evening.

"By Saturday it is believed a message will be put upon the wires to General Woodford, informing him fully of the nature of the verdict, and instructing him to present the matter to the Spanish government for any reply it may wish to make.

"At the same time Spain will be expected to make a prompt and satisfactory reply, and upon the character of her reply the president will base his further action.

"On Monday the report and all the testimony on which it is based will be sent to congress, accompanied by a message from the president.

"The message will be short. It will recite the facts, the reason why the Maine was sent to Havana, the circumstances surrounding her visit, and the efforts which have been made to arrive at the truth concerning her fate."

ABANDON THE MAINE

Naval Officers Will be Withdrawn From Havana

And the Hulk of the Submerged Ship Will be Destroyed by Dynamite.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The navy department has arranged for the practical withdrawal of all its naval officers at Havana, and the abandonment of the wreck of the ill-fated battleship Maine.

Capt. C. D. Sigsbee, Lieutenant Commander Richard Wainwright, Surgeon L. G. Heuberger, Paymaster Ray, Chaplain John P. Chidwick, Chief Engineer Chas H. Howell, and Naval Cadets J. A. Holden and W. T. Cluverius, who have been in Havana with the wreck, will return very soon.

Secretary Long said this forenoon in answer to an inquiry on the subject that he had no reason for the officers to remain at Havana much longer and the probability was that they would be ordered home in a day or two. Captain Sigsbee, he said, would come to Washington as soon as convenient, but as yet nothing had been settled in regard to his future duty.

It might be necessary for Lieutenant Commander Wainwright, who is in special charge of the wrecked vessel, to remain there a short time longer, or at least until it is finally settled that the wreck cannot be raised and that there is no prospect of the recovery of any other portions of the ship or its equipments. It might be necessary also for one of the naval cadets to remain, but this is not regarded as probable.

The return of Surgeon Heuberger and Chaplain Chidwick will depend upon the question of whether they are able to render any further service. Although it is not finally settled, it is more than probable that the Fern will return to the United States as soon as it is determined that nothing more is to be gained by her presence there. In the event of the abandonment of the wreck it is more than likely that the navy department will arrange for its complete destruction by the use of dynamite or torpedoes. In its present condition it is a dangerous obstruction to navigation, and it is not believed that any opposition will be offered to its removal.

Stylish neckwear at Roulon S. Patterson's.

GREAT FLOODS.

Whole Sections of Country Inundated.

Bridges and Embankments Carried Away

And Railway Traffic Seriously Impeded.

A Baltimore and Ohio Passenger Train Plunges Into the River Near Zanesville.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 23.—A special to the Dispatch from Frazeysburg, Ohio, says:

On account of high waters on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad between Zanesville and Newark, a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train, No. 105, with four cars, was running over the Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley and Panhandle as second 21. About three miles east of Frazeysburg high waters had undermined the roadbed for 200 yards. The train struck the hanging track at the rate of forty-five miles an hour, throwing the engine, Pullman and day coach from the track. The day coach, engine and the tender were completely submerged. The train was running in reverse order, the engine being coupled to the Pullman.

Fireman Hannock had a very narrow escape from being drowned, being rescued by the engineer and Pilot Sawor.

No one was seriously injured, but a few received cuts and bruises. Passengers and crew were brought to the shore in boats.

WORST IN HISTORY.

The Scioto Breaks All Previous High Water Records.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 23.—The worst local flood in the history of the Scioto river is in progress here. Thirteen of fifteen railroads cannot get trains in or out of the city. Fifty families at least are homeless and 500 more homes are flooded. No lives lost so far. The west side waterworks and street electric light house are out of service. The east side waterworks are still running. The water is on a stand, but the sky is cloudy and rain is falling.

DANGER LINE.

The Ohio River Passes That Point Today.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 23.—The rain still continues. The river at 10 a. m. reached the danger line and was rising four inches an hour.

The real danger point is fifty feet. It requires over fifty-three to reach the railway track. With the river rising rapidly from Pittsburg to Cincinnati and the great Miami pouring in an unusual flood below Cincinnati, and with the rain still falling, it is difficult to see how a disasterous flood can be avoided.

Riverman and others hope for the early appearance of cold weather to check the flood.

Meantime the usual precautions are taken to remove goods from the cellars and floors that can be reached by high water.

GREAT MIAMI THREATENING.

MIDDLETON, Ohio, March 23.—The Great Miami river is higher here than at any time since 1866, when almost the entire city was under water. The state dam has broken, causing the hydraulic water to run into the canal.

Its banks threaten to be overflowed into the streets. The breaking of the reservoir bank would undoubted cause loss of life.

All the paper mills have stopped. Water is ten or twelve feet in the cellars. No trains are running and the city is shut off from all travel by rail today.

TRAFFIC SUSPENDED.

The Panhandle Road Inundated in the State of Ohio.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—The latest reports received at the office of Superintendent J. F. Miller, of the Panhandle, show that the road is practically closed to traffic. The bridges between Steubenville, Columbus and Dennison are covered with water, and it is feared they will be swept away.

All through trains are coming in over the Fort Wayne.

The Wheeling branch of the Panhandle is in bad condition and no trains are being run on the New Cumberland branch. The Chartiers branch has not been interfered with to any extent.

Telegrams from many towns east and north of Pittsburg indicate heavy loss from the high water. Kittanning is entirely cut off from telegraphic and railroad communications. Half the business houses are flooded and several county bridges have been swept away.

At Dubois the water is higher than it has been since the Johnstown flood. The Second and Third wards are submerged and the people are moving about in boats.

A Leader dispatch says Sabula dam, about four miles above Dubois, is expected to break. If it does many lives will be lost.

The railroad tracks are washed away and traffic is completely blocked.

On the Fort Wayne road Lakeside and Fair Oaks are under water. Considerable damage is reported to private property.

Much damage is being caused in and about Braddock. Many families have been forced to leave their homes and several manufactories have suspended operations.

The Westinghouse works at East Pittsburg and the Braddock Wire works are both flooded and shut down.

Scores of families in the Turtle Creek valley are leaving their homes and are moving their furniture to the hillsides.

In many cases the water has reached the second story windows. At 1 o'clock this afternoon the water was still rising here, with twenty-six feet, nine inches on the marker.

Water is in the cellars of the Alvin, Bijou and Duquesne theaters and the hotels Arlington, Victoria and Anderson, but no serious trouble is anticipated.

THE FORT WAYNE BLOCKED

High Waters at Canton Compel a Suspension of Traffic.

CANTON, Ohio, March 23.—One of the heaviest rain storms in the city's history was experienced last night and the greater part of the east end of the city is under water today.

Heavy damage will result. The Fort Wayne road is unable to move trains either east or west, the tracks being in many places under water.

No trains are being run on the Cleveland, Canton and Southern railroad south of here on account of washouts.

A cloudburst seems to have struck the latter line near Sherrodsville, as portions of the track are entirely washed away.

The Cleveland and Valley Terminal road is unable to run trains in either directions owing to submerged tracks.

DAYTON IN DANGER.

The Miami River Far Over Its Banks.

DAYTON, Ohio, March 23.—Dayton is in worse danger than at any time since 1866, when the central part of the city was flooded.

The Miami river shows eighteen and two-tenths feet at the government gauge and is rising. Last year when about $50,000 damage was done the river's highest mark was sixteen and four-tenths feet.

North Dayton is completely under water and about three hundred houses are almost covered.

There were several narrow escapes but no lives are reported lost. The backwater is doing great damage below the city.

Three of the six trolley lines in the city are blocked and the steam railroads north of the city are demoralized.

At this writing the levees protecting Miami City and Riverdale, very populous sections, are in danger and every effort is being made to strengthen the levees.

The water is in the cellars in the central portion of the city and large and valuable stocks of merchandise will undoubtedly suffer so that the loss in that direction alone will be tremendous.

HIGH WATER AT RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, Ind., March 23.—Heavy floods are doing incalculable damage. The large bridge over Whitewater river has been destroyed by fire and water. The city electric light plant is drowned out. The Starr piano factory and the Nixon paper mill have suffered heavy loss. Many people have been driven from their homes. The streets are badly damaged.

THE DANGER LINE.

Allegheny and Monongahela Rivers Swollen by Rains.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—The Allegheny and Monongahela rivers will, in all probability, reach a stage of thirty feet of water tonight. Tremendous rains fell at all points in the two upper valleys last night and the water is rushing towards Pittsburg at a very rapid rate.

At 11 a. m. the Monongahela marks had reached a stage of twenty-six feet, and the river is rising about three inches an hour. The following districts are already flooded: All of Allegheny, south of Robison street and South avenue; River avenue and Upper Robinson street and the upper districts traversed by the Pittsburg and Wabash railroad; the lower bottoms of Woods' Run; lower districts of Saw Mill Run; lower districts of McKees' Rocks and Sheldon borough and all the low lands between the Davis Island dam and Beaver; Sharpsburg and Millvale districts and the lower districts of the upper end of Allegheny and Pittsburg on the Allegheny river, including the Allegheny Valley railroad tracks in the vicinity of Kelly station.

The reports from the upper river stations in reference to the rain fall received by the Pittsburg weather bureau show that from one-half to nearly three inches of rain fell at different headwater points during the night.

Great damage is reported and fears are entertained that the flood will be as great as in 1881. About 5 o'clock there was a sudden rise in the Allegheny river and a clean sweep was made on the Allegheny side between Chestnut street and the railroad bridge. All coal flats, coal boats, shanty boats, rafts and everything afloat were swept away.

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ADVISES PEACE.

Senator Bacon Wants no War With Spain.

He Offers a Resolution in the Senate.

United States, While Strong, Wants No Conflict.

Delicates Every Effort Should be Made to Settle Difficulties Without Resort to Arms.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Anticipated discussion of the Cuban question was the magnet which drew an unusually large crowd of interested spectators to the galleries of the senate today. Some time before the senate convened the public and reserved galleries were packed and long lines of people swayed through the corridors, eagerly seeking the admission it was impossible, on account of the limited gallery space, for them to obtain.

On the senate floor the interest was no less than in the galleries.

The chamber gradually filled during the disposition of the routine morning business until almost every senator at the capital was in his seat.

Mr. Tillman announced that he would, next Tuesday, at 3 p. m., ask the senate to consider the resolutions upon the death of his colleague, the late Senator Earle.

Mr. Bacon, of Georgia, presented the following joint resolution:

"That the government and people of the United States, while avowing that at all times, and to the utmost limit, they will maintain their national honor and protect their material interests; and while they will count no cost of blood or treasure which may be necessary for the accomplishment of this high resolve, nevertheless declare that it is their desire to live at peace with all the nations and peoples of the earth.

"That supremely confident in the loyalty and patriotic devotion of the people of every class and of every section of the country, strong in more than 70,000,000 of people, brave and ready for any personal sacrifice the honor and safety of their government may require of them, and rich in the possession of material resources practically without limit, the United States nevertheless desires and intend in the present threatening emergency, earnestly and patiently to use every practicable and honorable means to preserve peace as far as the same may be consistent with the honor of the nation and with their duty to themselves and to others.

"That while unswerving in their purpose to fully protect the honor and the property of the nation as well as the persons of its citizens, and while determined upon the performance of their duty to humanity and to a neighboring people struggling for liberty, the United States, desiring peace and deprecating war, will in good faith endeavor to accomplish these ends, consistently with national honor, through peaceful agencies, and without unnecessary resort to war and bloodshed."

Mr. Bacon said that owing to the importance of the resolution he would not ask for its immediate consideration, but would permit it to lie on the table until tomorrow.

Very quietly and with no attempt to produce effect, the bill providing for the relief of the survivors of the Maine disaster was presented to the senate for consideration. Mr. Hale, chairman of the naval affairs committee, reported the bill favorably and asked that it be placed at once upon its passage. The bill was read and without a word of debate was unanimously passed without amendment.

Then in accordance with notice given yesterday Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, was recognized for a speech upon the condition of affairs in Cuba.

Mr. Gallinger has recently returned from the island. He received the most careful and thoughtful attention of every person within sound of his voice.

BOYS' HIS PATRONS.

Saloonist Niemann Arrested and Fined.

Allowed Boys to Resort to His Place—Woodruff Goes to Prison—News of the Courts.

Benjamin Niemann, proprietor of a saloon at the corner of Harmer street and Mannen avenue, was fined $10 and costs by Justice Tincoy today for allowing minors to play pool in his place. He entered a plea of guilty. There has been much complaint that Niemann permitted young lads to congregate at his resort and enjoy the saloon pastimes the law prescribes in the case of minors. Parents of some of these lads grew indignant and filed the affidavits on which Niemann was arrested.

WOODRUFF SENTENCED.

A. J. Woodruff, who was arrested some days ago for a robbery he committed on Lafayette street, was arraigned in the circuit court for trial and the case was heard by Judge O'Rourke, who found Woodruff guilty and sentenced him to from one to three years in the penitentiary.

NEW TRIAL ASKED.

Judge Heller, of Decatur, is sitting as special judge in the superior court today, listening to argument of motion for a new trial in the suit of Brown vs. the city. This is one of the Lakeside accident suits in which a jury found damages against the city.

OTHER COURT NEWS.

Today the county officials made an inspection of St. Joseph hospital and Hope hospital. Everything about both places was reported to be in first-class condition. The commissioners report that they found the state of affairs at the county infirmary eminently satisfactory and gratifying.

In the superior court Emmott Martin has sued George Conner, et al., for $65 on mechanic's lien.

Sheriff Meiching left this afternoon for Michigan City with John Zaner and Benson McKinzie, who will serve sentences, respectively, for fraud and incest.

In the superior court in the suit of the Tri-State Building and Loan association vs. Alfred Grindle, et al., judgments for $3,458.36 have been awarded plaintiff and in favor of J. D. Paino for $729.

LICENSED TO WED.

Louis Schoonover and Celia Botterson.

Charles W. Snyder and Mary A. Elizabeth Snyder.

ALL WERE LOST.

Bark Helen W. Almy Wrecked at Sea Off the Golden Gate.

Forty Men Were Drowned—Passengers Were Bound for the Gold Fields of Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Forty lives are believed to have been lost a few miles outside the Golden Gate by the capsizing of the bark Helen W. Almy during the storm which has been raging off the coast for the last two or three days.

Twenty-seven of those lost were passengers bound for Cooper River ports and other points in the Alaskan gold fields. The other thirteen were the captain and crew of the vessel, which left this port Sunday night.

The first intimation of the wreck was brought here yesterday by Captain Alexander of the Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer Santa Rosa, who reported that early this morning, while nine miles off Point Bonita, at the mouth of the Golden Gate, he sighted a derelict bottom up.

The tug Sea Witch was dispatched to the point indicated, and found the derelict to be the Helen W. Almy.

The bark lay upon her starboard side with her stern low down in the water, her deckhouse badly wrecked and several planks of her hull washed loose by the seas which broke over her. While there were no signs of boats among the wreckage, it is not believed that her passengers and crew escaped by putting off from the vessel in them, as there has been a very heavy sea for several days past. Furthermore, no word has been received from the survivors, if any exist, although the derelict was sighted within ten miles of the shore, and fully forty-eight hours have passed since the wreck occurred.

DAMP SNOW

Adds to the Discomforts of the Floods.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 23.—A regular blizzard prevails in St. Louis and vicinity, extending down into Arkansas and part of Illinois.

The temperature shows a drop of forty-eight degrees since yesterday. The ground is covered with heavy wet snow, something unprecedented for this season of the year. The heavy rains of the past few days have caused all rivers in Missouri to rise rapidly.

The Osage and Gasconade especially are pouring floods of water into the Missouri, which in turn flows into the Mississippi. The gauge here is 1.9 feet higher than was registered yesterday. It is expected that by tomorrow all low lands on the Mississippi as far up as the mouth of the Illinois river, will be under water. Damage from the risings in this is feared, as the rivers are very high.

At St. Charles the Missouri has risen at an alarming rate, threatening to overflow a large area and covering the best farming lands in the state. The melting snow will add much to the rising waters. Only a few of the incoming trains reached Union station on time today. The belated ones were anywhere from two to seven hours behind time. The delays were caused by the washouts and landslides.

All the streams about Nashville, Ill., are overflowing their banks and the Okawn river is on the rampage. Wheat fields are overflowed and the bottom lands north of Covington are submerged, the Okawn being five miles wide at that point. The new iron bridge there is in danger of being washed away.

After an illness of several months James Turner yesterday resumed his position as foreman at the Combs hardware store on Columbia street.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Council Selects Inspectors and Voting Places.

Three More Voting Precincts Were Necessary.

The Curfew Petition Referred to a Committee.

The Residents of Brooklyn Avenue Ask for Water Mains—Routine Business Transacted.

The city council met last evening with twelve members present. There was considerable business to be transacted, but when the city clerk got started it did not take them long to dispose of it. The most important matter was the report of the committee on elections, which was received and adopted without any dissenting votes.

The mayor reported that he had approved ordinances passed at the previous meeting, and the finance committee reported that they found Comptroller Bergdoll's annual report correct. The report of the water works trustees was approved.

Councilman Weller presented a petition signed by most of the residents on Brooklyn avenue (formerly Chicago street) asking that water mains be laid along that thoroughfare. The petition was referred to the water works committee.

Mrs. Emma Hahn submitted a communication in which she demanded $200 damages for injuries received in a fall on Griffith street, the fall resulting from a defective sidewalk. The communication was referred to the finance committee.

The special committee to which was referred the matter of preparing a new ordinance to govern the natural gas franchise reported that they favored the report made by the committee at a previous meeting.

The petition of the Berry street M. E. church Epworth league for the passage of a curfew ordinance was referred to the committee on education.

The report of the election committee was received. They reported forty-seven precincts, the voting places and the names of forty-seven inspectors. The precincts were increased by three and the voting places and inspectors are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First Precinct—Voting place, Ditloe's grocery, St. Joe boulevard. Inspector of election, O. J. Wilder.

Second Precinct—Voting place, 231 East Wayne street. Inspector of election, C. E. Rose.

Third Precinct—Voting place, 223 East Jefferson street. Inspector of election, Jacob Hartman.

Fourth Precinct—Voting place, 147 Hanna street. Inspector of election, Charles Barner.

Fifth Precinct—Voting place, 196 Hanna street. Inspector of election, Fred Vollmer.

SECOND WARD.

Sixth Precinct—Voting place, 43 East Columbia street. Inspector of election, A. A. Martin.

Seventh Precinct—Voting place, 37 Clinton street. Inspector of election, Nicholas Beine.

Eighth Precinct—Voting place, 184 Barr street, Lauer's barber shop. Inspector of election, Patrick Ryan.

Ninth Precinct—Voting place, 231 Lafayette street.—Inspector of election, Chas. A. Tripple.

THIRD WARD.

Tenth Precinct—Voting place, 74 West Main street. Inspector of election, Joseph V. Fox.

Eleventh Precinct—Voting place, F. Meyer's livery barn, Washington boulevard. Inspector of election, A. Wolf.

Twelfth Precinct—Voting place, 212½ Calhoun street. Inspector of election, Louis Jacquot.

Thirteenth Precinct — Voting place, 13 Highland street. Inspector of election, James Conroy.

Fourteenth Precinct — Voting place, 374½ Calhoun street. Inspector of election, William Orr.

FOURTH WARD.

Fifteenth Precinct—Voting place, Liebman's carpenter shop, Pearl street. Inspector of election, Louis C. Schroeder.

Sixteenth Precinct—Voting place, 97 Broadway, (rear). Inspector of election, C. F. Muhler.

Seventeenth Precinct — Voting place, Hillgormann's grocery. Inspector of election, John C. Grimme.

Eighteenth Precinct — Voting place, 11 Lavina street. Inspector of election, Joseph Niehter.

Nineteenth Precinct—Voting place, 7 Colerick street. Inspector of election, Casper Schmidt.

Twentieth Precinct—Voting place, 89 Fairfield avenue. Inspector of election, Chas. Franke.

FIFTH WARD.

Twenty-first Precinct — Voting place, Orff's mill. Inspector of election, Ed. Wilson.

Twenty-second Precinct—Voting place, Bippo's livery barn, Broadway. Inspector of election, A. L. Gricbel.

Twenty-third Precinct—Voting place, 131 Broadway. Inspector of election, Henry Hilbrecht.

Twenty-fourth Precinct—Voting place, 178½ Broadway. Inspector of election, Joseph Singmaster.

Twenty-fifth Precinct — Voting place, 383 West Main street. Inspector of election, Daniel Hutzell.

SIXTH WARD.

Twenty-sixth Precinct — Voting place, 276 Broadway. Inspector of election, William Bock.

Twenty-seventh Precinct—Voting place, 498 Broadway. Inspector of election, Julius Romns.

Twenty-eighth Precinct—Voting place, South Wayne Town hall. Inspector of election, Edward Suter.

Twenty-ninth Precinct—Voting place, No. 7 Poplar street. Inspector of election, John Dalman.

Thirtieth Precinct—Voting place, Driebert's carpenter shop, rear of 91 West DeWald street. Inspector of election, John Welch.

SEVENTH WARD.

Thirty-first Precinct — Voting place, 357 South Calhoun street. Inspector of election, Georgs Jacoby.

Thirty-second precinct — Voting place, 457 South Calhoun street. Inspector of election, James H. Fry.

Thirty-third Precinct — Voting place, 101 Wallace street. Inspector of election, John Baker.

Thirty-fourth Precinct — Voting place, 393 Lafayette street. Inspector of election, John Franke.

EIGHTH WARD.

Thirty-fifth Precinct — Voting place, 417 East Wayne street. Inspector of election, F. Frolstoffer.

Thirty-sixth Precinct — Voting place, 377½ East Washington street. Inspector of election, Wm. Boehnman.

Thirty-seventh precinct—Voting place, 367½ East Lewis street. Inspector of election, John Smith.

Thirty-eighth Precinct — Voting place, corner Ohio and Elizabeth streets. Inspector of election, Charles Kruedop.

Thirty-ninth Precinct — Voting place, 30 Grant avenue. Inspector of election, Chas. M. Becker.

NINTH WARD.

Fortieth Precinct—Voting place, in rear of Brink's drug store. Inspector of election, J. B. Lessns.

Forty-first Precinct—Voting place, 78 High street, Pape's office. Inspector of election, Henry Leinker.

Forty-second Precinct — Voting place, 167 Huffman street. Inspector of election, George Henkenius.

Forty-third Precinct — Voting place, 111 St. Mary's avenue. Inspector of election, Barney Brennah.

TENTH WARD.

Forty-fourth Precinct — Voting place, 36 Force street. Inspector of election, B. Roth.

Forty-fifth Precinct—Voting place, Berndt cigar factory, in rear of 145 John street. Inspector of election, A. Kramer.

Forty-sixth Precinct — Voting place, 50 Thomas street. Inspector of election, A. D. Craig.

Forty-seventh Precinct—Voting place, 35 John street. Inspector of election, William Stephan.

THE FIRING HOUSES.

The board of works this morning examined the plans and specifications for the new engine houses to be erected in Nebraska and on Fairfield avenue. The houses will be exactly alike except that there will be more excavating done about the Fairfield house than about the other. The board will tomorrow night prepare to advertise for bids, which will be opened the first or second week in April. The contracts for the two houses will be let separately.

NEW HOSE WAGONS.

The board of safety will tomorrow advertise for bids for three new hose wagons. The board will open the bids at the meeting April 1. The wagons will probably be built by Fort Wayne manufacturers.

HIGH WATERS.

Low Lands Overflowed and Some Damage Done.

Rudisill's Dam Said to be Dangerous—Along With the Water Came a Touch of Cold Weather.

The intermittent rains of the past few days have caused the rivers in Allen and surrounding counties to overflow their banks, and in some places there has been considerable damage. The lowlands west along the Wabash and Pittsburg roads present the appearance of small lakes, and bridges on many of the small streams are threatened with destruction.

A report gained circulation last evening that the high waters had affected Rudisill's dam, and it might give way at any time. The water has been creeping up all day, and the dam still resists attempts to force it down. The flats along the St. Mary's are covered with water, which has risen to the doorways of a few buildings.

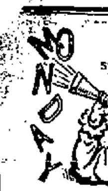
There was a big fall in temperature during last night and overcoats were the most comfortable piece of wearing apparel today. It was feared that the fruit had been injured, but well posted persons assert that the buds had not developed enough for the weather to affect them.

Simaro Kubota, a Japanese, will give a stereoptican lecture on the "Flowery Kingdom" tonight, at the West Jefferson street Church of Christ. He will be dressed in native costume.

NOBBY SPRING CAPS

For the little boys, for the big boys, for all boys, at

REUBEN S. PATTERSON'S.



"Blew Monday"

spell it as you will; that's the soap-users' washday—uses them up completely. Never a "blue Monday" with the right sort of Pearline washing. No rubbing to speak of, no wear, just soaking, boiling, rinsing. Things washed are cleaner and woman who washes is able to enjoy the time saved. 55

Millions Pearline

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 1898.

TONIGHT.

Revival Services—Baptist Tabernacle.

Westminster Church—Indiana University Glee and Mandolin Club.

Prayer Meetings—At various city churches.

Clerks' Union—Regular meeting union No. 10.

Lodges—Concordia lodge, No. 228, I. O. O. F.; Degree of Honor No. 20; Eden lodge, No. 1, Adam's Royal Sons; Wayne Council, No. 35, Jr. O. U. A. M.; Wayne Castle, No. 4, Knights of the Golden Eagle; Liberty Council, Knights and Ladies of Columbia; Mechecunnochqua Tribe 106, I. O. R. M.; Fort Wayne lodge No. 1517.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:
Wednesday—The Rays in "A Hot Old Time."
Friday—"The Geisha."

LET us hope that in the Maine matter to be slow is also to be sure.

SPAIN is no more successful in trying to bribe the insurgents than in trying to whip them.

SENATOR THURSTON sums it all up when he says: "If the time for intervention in Cuba is not here now it never will come."

THAT the nations do not regard the peace of the world as entirely secure is evidenced in the difficulty Uncle Sam has in buying warships.

THERE is some relief to the tension of public feeling in the knowledge that the report of the board of inquiry is now on the way to Washington.

"CONGRESS will back the president in everything he does," says a republican exchange. Congress will back the president in everything he does that is right and rightly done, but much else cannot be expected.

THE United States can borrow of her own patriotic people half a billion dollars at 3 or even 2 per cent. interest and sell every dollar of her bonds at par. Spain cannot borrow a fifth of that amount anywhere for war purposes and such loans as she is able to make can be secured only by selling her bonds at half their face at 4 per cent., which is in fact 8 per cent. These facts illustrate forcibly the comparative war strength of the two nations.

AT HAMMOND, the other day, Judge Tuthill rendered a decision that has important bearing on the compulsory education law. He held that the law neglected to specify any particular twelve weeks in the school year in which attendance at school was compulsory, and discharged a man who had been arrested and fined in a minor court for not sending his son to school. It would be well if the validity of the law were determined by the supreme court of the state.

THE report of the naval court of inquiry into the loss of the battleship Maine is being carried to Washington by Commander Marix, and within a short time the full text of the findings of the court and its conclusions will be in the hands of the president. Contrary to general expectation, the finding of the court may exculpate Spain from all suspicion of treachery and hold the Madrid government free from responsibility. But even in such event, the United States is not done with Spain. The barbarous warfare in Cuba must be stopped. The unfed, unclothed and perishing thousands of pacificos in the towns must be succored by this government. There must be intervention. The people of the United States who stood aghast that the powers of Europe held aloof and watched without protest the unholy slaughter of Armenians by the Kurds will not be patient while there "is an Armenia at their very doors." If the administration does not soon act, there is hopeful prospect that congress will.

HISTORIANS are not entirely agreed upon the date of the death of Alfred the Great—whether it was A. D. 899, or 900 or 901, although the last has been generally accepted. It may be assumed that the year will be fixed, or at least agreed upon, in time for the millennial celebration for which preparations are already making in England. This is a celebration in which Americans are scarcely less interested than Britons. The kingdom of Alfred lives only in history, but his is the first great figure in the development of the system of jurisprudence that is the stronghold of our civilization and our liberty. He may not have invented all the things that are ascribed to him, but at least they came about in his time, and the name or fame of anyone else who may have contributed to them has become absorbed in that of the great statesman, teacher and lawgiver, one of the semi mythical, but still quite real heroes of the present English speaking race. The celebration will naturally be held at Winchester, a city of most interesting historic associations, and it may well be one of the most important of all the anniversary commemorations of our time. It is not the military or naval or commercial conquests of Britain that it will recall, but a thousand years of expanding liberty and justice that have spread from Alfred's little kingdom all over the habitable globe.

HAVE A CARE

Where you buy your goods, they may not turn out as represented. Our's are guaranteed or money refunded. Those we now quote were bought cheap—way below the market—hence low prices to you.

Matchless Spring Clothing Offers For Men.

High Grade Spring Covert Cloth Overcoats.—Our extensive stock comprises the neat & new shades, beautifully tailored with pure silk sleeve linings, box and regular cut, equal in every detail to the high-priced tailor-made garment, and are handsome values at our price **$10.00**

All-Wool Spring Suits.—Exclusive '98 Styles, in 3 and 4 button sacks, in Cheviots and Cassimeres, handsomely tailored, in neat pin checks, plaids and fancy mixtures and plain colors—excellent values that cannot be duplicated for less than $10.00—our first spring price **$7.50**

Men's Finer Grade Spring of '98 Suits. fresh from the looms, of foreign and domestic manufacturers of all-wool cheviots, cassimeres, unfinished clay worsteds, neat pin checks, plaids and rich fancy mixtures, blue, black and plain gray—stouts, longs and regular shapes—our first Spring offering at the popular price... **$10.00**

Men's Finest Spring Suits & Overcoats up to $25.

Fashionable Spring Trousers for Men.

Men's Fine Spring Style Trousers, latest cut, in all-wool cheviots and cassimeres, neat checks, stripes, plaids, mixtures and plain solid colors, elegantly tailored and well worth double the price.......... **$2.50**

Fine Grades in pure all-wool worsteds and cassimeres, new neat stripes, shades and patterns—new stock just arrived and large assortment—our price for them is.... **$3.50**

Still Finer Values in handsome worsteds, exceptionally fine tailoring, newest spring designs in stripes, checks and plaids, stouts, longs, regulars and extra sizes guaranteed to fit, you'll pay half again as much elsewhere.......... **$4.00**

Confirmation Suits a Specialty.

Never before, have we shown such an assortment of Boy's Confirmation Suits, long or short pants and greatest values we have ever been able to offer. The prices range from $4.00 to $12.

One Especial Offer in the Confirmation Line.

We were fortunate enough to close out from a manufacturer one lot Boys' Black Clay, All-Wool Worsted Long Pants Suits, sizes 11 to 17. We bought these Suits at a ridiculously low figure and are in position to offer them to the trade at less than manufacturer's cost. This lot consists of 32 Suits and when they are sold this quality Suits cannot be retailed for less than $8.00. First come first served, and while they last you can have them at the heretofore unheard of price, **$5.00.** **$5**

Lehman's
34 & 36 CALHOUN ST.

A NEW HOSPITAL

Advocated by the Allen County Medical Society.

Committee of Physicians Authorized to Boom the Building of a Hospital for Contagious Diseases.

An interesting meeting of the Allen County Medical society was held last night in App's hall. The principal topic of discussion was the proposition to build a hospital for contagious diseases. There was a unanimous sentiment in favor of such a hospital. The discussion was brought on by the illness of the man Wagner, who called at the police station Saturday night for lodging and the next morning was suffering with measles. The doctors claim that it would be disgraceful to take sick people to the old pest house and contagious diseases would not be received at the hospitals. The case Saturday night, one physician says, might have been smallpox as easily as measles and there would have been no place at all to take the patient. The medical society urged a committee consisting of Drs. McOscar, Porter and others to devise ways and means to provide for the erection of such a hospital.

Drs. J. D. Chambers and H. A. Duemling read papers.

CULTIVATE LOTS.

Poor of the City Should Accept an Opportunity to Garden.

The committee of the Associated Charities having in charge the cultivation of vacant lots, held a meeting at the office of General Secretary O. E. Mohler, at the city hall, yesterday. The committee has about eleven acres of land that they can distribute to the poor for cultivation, and judging from their experience of last year, it will all be taken. All persons desiring to cultivate some of this land should make application at the office of Secretary Mohler, at room 8, in the city hall, as soon as possible. His office hours are from 9 to 12 o'clock in the morning, from 4 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and from 7 to 8 o'clock in the evening.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Rev. Mrs. Cox, of Marion, has been extended a pastoral call by the Friends' church at Laporte.

John W. Bowman, of Peru, has a wine cup that was used on the table at the coronation of Queen Victoria.

Thomas Walker, a country boy, was held up by a gang of hoodlums in daylight at Columbia City and robbed of his cash.

It is reported that the North Manchester canning works will not be operated this year unless an additional capital of $5,000 can be raised.

George Ream, a well known base ball player, was dangerously injured by the accidental discharge of his gun while duck hunting on Lake Manitou, near Rochester.

Eleven prisoners have been transferred from Michigan City to Jeffersonville. They were all under thirty years of age and were sent to the penitentiary instead of the reformatory by judges who disregarded the new law.

William Eash, the fifteen-year-old lad who escaped from jail at Auburn the other day, turned up at Elkhart, where his father, a notorious man, resides. From Elkhart young Eash sent the keys to the Auburn jail to Sheriff Stroh by express. The lad has again disappeared.

The trial of County Commissioners Walley and Kinnison, of Elkhart county, came to an abrupt end at Goshen. The men were charged with receiving bribes, and former County Treasurer Holdeman, lately sentenced to the penitentiary for embezzlement, was the chief witness against them. Holdeman refused to testify, and Judge Wilson ordered the discharge of Walley and Kinnison.

Carl, aged twelve, and Atley, aged ten, sons of George Hostetter, near Ligonier, during the absence of their parents, went upon the roof of the house, one with a shotgun and the other with a revolver, to engage in mimic warfare, not knowing the weapons were loaded. Carl in some manner discharged the shotgun within two feet of his younger brother, inflicting wounds in his face and forhead that destroyed his sight, fractured his skull and may cause his death.

Social and Entertainment.

The young people of Grace church will give a spring social and entertainment in the lecture rooms of the church Thursday evening. The following program will be rendered:

Recitation	Lottie Wilkening
Solo	Lola Tapp
Recitation	Ruth Grumpner
Duet	Emily Swank and Will Walter
Recitation	Florence McMillan
Solo	Mr. Haskel
Recitation	Maud Challenger
Recitation	Stella Bolliger and DeEtta Martinson
Solo	Mr. Haskel
Recitation	Florence McMillan

BASE BALL.

Chauncey Griffith Will Build the New Park.

Expects to Commence Work as Soon as the Weather Permits—Items of Interest to Lovers of the Game.

Chauncey Griffith has accepted the contract to build the fence and grand stand on the new base ball grounds. Work will be commenced as soon as the weather permits and beginning next week he expects to have a big gang of men at work. The enclosure will be 400 feet square and the grand stand will seat to exceed 1,000 people.

THE SCHEDULE.

THE SENTINEL today received from President Power a copy of the schedule adopted at the Springfield meeting, but by request of Mr. Power it will not be printed until Friday. Each club plays twenty-two games with every other club, making a total of 154 games for the season.

Fort Wayne opens at Dayton April 25 and then goes to Springfield. The latter club opens the season in Fort Wayne May 1, and is also here for two games on the Fourth of July. Fort Wayne is at New Castle Decoration day and at Grand Rapids Labor day. Each club makes four trips, one game only being played in each city on one of the trips.

PEANUT VENDER.

Manager O'Meara today received a letter from a peanut firm in Norfolk, Va., asking him to boom their peanuts at the ball park this season by having the refreshment vender handle them. Ed will send for a sack of the peanuts and after he and Bob Dickson have sampled them, will give the recommendation providing the nuts come up to specifications.

PUFF FOR INTER-STATE.

It is gratifying to note that matters are going along splendidly in connection with the Inter-State league, says the Pittsburg Dispatch. Some time ago there were signs of rocks ahead and it looked as if the organization was going to become stranded. But all the evil omens have passed and it is now safe to say that there is not a minor league in the country with better prospects than this same league that we have just set out to talk about.

Well, reports that are coming from the various places of the circuit state that the prospects never were brighter than they are just now. Manager Torreyson, who has taken hold of the Grand Rapids club, states that there will be success at the end. If this prediction is true then the league will be all right.

One of the most difficult things that leagues like the Inter-State have to cope with is the getting of money to put a team on the field at the beginning of the season. There is a diffidence at the time on the part of the capitalists interested to advance the necessary cash to get things into running order simply because of the great uncertainty of the game all round. This is natural. We find it often in larger leagues than the one in question.

But with a few minutes' reflection it will be seen that there is a much better prospect this year for the little league than there was last year at this time. All the experience of last year is at hand to take hold of as a guide; the people of the circuit have become attached to baseball; they have become more familiar with their respective teams and therefore have a greater pride in them and consequently a greater interest in the race that is to take place among the teams. The officials have got their work down to a finer point, despite the fact that they did admirably last season. Altogether the league is more of a household word today in the cities that compose it than it ever was.

Now, these are considerations that cannot be overlooked in figuring on the outcome of the next season. They ought to encourage those who are financially with the clubs in a greater enthusiasm than has been in some cases.

The league in question has been well managed and it contains many players who are truly excellent, and this respect the league is more promising today than it ever was. This should prompt the persons who are more interested in it to see that there is less rowdy conduct among its players than there was last year. To be sure, there was no no more in this league than any other, but what is meant is that the league should be thoroughly in line with the major league in the attempt to quell this rowdy conduct on the ball field. Managers ought to abide by what they have agreed to do.

NOTES.

Youngstown Telegram: "Peck Sharp is getting as much or more advertising than any player in the country."

Manager Armor, of Dayton, was in Columbus Tuesday, looking after a man to play the position of shortstop. He is unable to get Clancy, the Cleveland man who was hired for the place. Mr. Armor heard of a good shortstop at Columbus and went to see him.

At Grand Rapids the Inter-State league games will be played at Recreation and Alger parks this season. Monday afternoon Mr. Torreyson had a conference with Glenalvin's representative relative to the transfer of the parks and terms mutually satisfactory were arrived at and the deal closed.

The Wheeling Register comes out with a story on the authority of a traveling salesman, "who is a friend of Low Whistler," to the effect that Whistler has a very serious notion of taking his Springfield franchise to Wheeling. The story runs that Whistler is very doubtful about the kind of support that he is likely to get for his team in Springfield, and thinks his chances would be better in Wheeling if satisfactory grounds could be procured. He would like to try Springfield for a few weeks and then if it is a failure switch over to Wheeling. The sports in the latter town will not approve of this plan, but if he will come at once will welcome him with open arms.

At a well-attended meeting in Anderson yesterday the formation of an Indiana gas belt base ball league was begun. C. K. McCullough, president of the old Indiana league, has taken hold. Anderson, Marion, Elwood, Alexandria and Muncie are already organized. The Alexandria team will be managed by John E. Roschie, of Meadville, Pa., formerly of the Pennsylvania league. Les Wachtel, a business man, will manage the Muncie team. H. T. Mote, formerly president of the Kansas State league, will manage Anderson. Marion will be managed by Al Lawson, of Manchester, N. H. James Flynn has taken the Elwood team. George W. Henry, of Indianapolis, has been sent to Kokomo. Organizations are being perfected on the citizen stock company basis. At Muncie March 31 the schedule will be arranged for a four months' season, opening April 21, salary limit to be $600.

WERE DRIVEN BACK.

Anglo-Egyptian Cavalry Defeat Dervish Horsemen.

A Hand to Hand Battle With Spears Followed by a Shelling of the Retreating Dervishes.

ATBARA (On the Nile), March 23.—An Anglo Egyptian cavalry patrol was in conflict with a large party of dervish horsemen on Monday, eleven miles up the river.

A smart engagement took place in which hand to hand encounters with spears occurred, and the dervishes were driven back. The horse artillery went to the support of the Anglo-Egyptian cavalry and shelled the dervishes at fifteen hundred yards, doing considerable execution.

The Anglo-Egyptian loss was seven men killed and eight wounded. The patrol returned to Rashudi before midnight, bringing the wounded. No British officers were wounded.

A force of 400 dervish cavalry appeared a few miles from here on Tuesday morning. It was met by a squadron of cavalry and a force of Soudanese, who drove off the dervishes with considerable loss, following them some miles beyond Abadar. Mahomoud's main force occupies the same position.

A VERY NEAT JOB.

Two Robbers Hold Up a Train in California.

The Express Car Dynamited, the Mail Car Looted, No One Hurt and the Bandits Escape.

TREVER, Cala., March 23.—Northbound passenger train No. 16 was held up at Cross Creek bridge, four miles south of Trever, last night about 10:35 by two train robbers. The men boarded the train at Goshen, and soon after pulling out climbed into the engine and compelled the fireman to cease firing. When the train reached Cross Creek the steam gave out and the train stopped.

The express was then blown up with dynamite. It was completely demolished. The mail car was then entered and the mail pouch containing the through San Francisco registered matter was cut open and all the contents taken.

No one was injured. The robbers had a buggy in readiness near the scene and they left in this, going north. It is not known how much was taken by the robbers from the express car.

The train was a local from Los Angeles and as a rule does not carry a great deal of treasure.

REAL ESTATE SALES

List of Transfers as Reported by the Heilbllie Abstract Agency.

Ida A. Herrold to Manfred E. Bellamy, part lot 12, town of Arcola, for $450.

Wilhelmine Schumann to Charles D. W. Schumann, west half, northwest quarter, section 26, township 29, range 13 east, containing 80 acres, for $4,000.

Perry A. Gump to Gottlieb Kranter, northwest quarter, northeast quarter, section 3, township 32, range 13 east, containing 40 acres, for 2,500.

William E. Miner to Simon Boerger, lot 13, block A, Wayne Heights, for $175.

William Arnolt et. al., to Magdalena Hinterwinkler, lot ninety, town of Hamilton, for $1.

Frederick J. Hayden to Chapman Rhodes, west half, lot 356, Hanna's addition, for $1.

Lavinia H. Holladay to Olive E. Archer, subdivision 15, section 15, section 4, township 30, range 12 east, for 725.

Leopold Beck to William Krusa, part lot 176, Hanna's addition, for $60.

Maria White et al. to John B. Kelley, lot 17, White's third addition, for $1,500.

Virgie A. Niezer et al. to Joseph Lewis, part lot 12, Pilgrim and Rowland's addition, to town of Monroeville, for $900.

Cecilia Graffe, administratrix, to William Wright Rockhill, lots 7 and 8, block 31, Ewing's addition, for $7,800.

S. A. Thornton to Henry M. Gump, west ½, northwest ¼, section 21, township 32, range 12 east, containing 73½ acres, for $2,000.

American Importers Fail.

BOSTON, Mass., March 23.—The assignment of the firm of Pitts, Kimball & Lewis, importers and retailers, to H. A. Belcher is announced. The firm is one of the largest in the city. The amount of assets and liabilities is not stated. It is thought that a settlement will be affected and the firm will continue business.

Women Should Remember THAT

Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills

are specially prepared to act in harmony with the female system. They cure *Constipation* and *Sick Headache*, resulting from causes peculiar to women.

25 cents. All Druggists.

GIVES UNCLE SAM A HINT.

English Builder Tells Naval Authorities Where to Buy a Dock.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Lyon H. Clarke, of the firm of Stanfield & Clarke, the English dry dock builders, stopped over in Washington yesterday on his way from New York to Havana, where a floating dry dock for the Spanish government has just been installed by the firm, to tell the naval authorities that the United States could probably purchase a big steel floating dock which Stanfield & Clarke are constructing for the North German Lloyd Steamship company. Mr. Clarke told Assistant Secretary Roosevelt that this dock was intended to hold the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, and would accommodate any ship of the United States navy. It is being built at the English yards of the firm for use at Stettin, Germany. He promised Mr. Roosevelt that if this government bought the dock from the North German Lloyd company it could be completed and delivered at New York in four weeks.

PROVES HIS THEORY.

Dr. Schenk Successful in His Treatment of Countess Warwick.

LONDON, March 23.—The countess of Warwick, known throughout the world as Lady Brooke and accounted the most beautiful woman in England, gave birth yesterday to a son. For three months Dr. Samuel Schenk, the great German physician and discoverer of the secret of sex, has had the countess of Warwick under treatment.

The countess was subjected to the most strict regimen. Every ounce of food of which she partook was prescribed and weighed. The system was made even more elaborate for the noble woman because Dr. Schenk knew the eyes of Europe were upon him.

It was to be a crucial test of Dr. Schenk's skill, and the success of that skill was only too clearly made known in a telegram to the German scientist announcing that the child had been born and that it was a boy.

EPIDEMIC OF FIRES.

Chicago Has Another Blaze in Which Lives Were Endangered.

CHICAGO, March 23.—The six-story building, 116 and 120 Monroe street, occupied by the Monroe Catering company and the Building Trades club, was destroyed by fire today. Four women employes of the catering company who were in the top story asleep barely escaped with their lives. The following were burned or otherwise injured during the fire, but none seriously: John F. Burns, fireman; Geo. A. McAllister, fireman; Harry Smith, bartender; Joseph Steimers, porter; Jacob Buchanan, porter. The total loss is $90,000.

CATHOLIC LEADER DEAD.

Granville W. Smith Passes Away at Louisville, Ky.—His Career.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 23.—Granville W. Smith, one of the most prominent laymen in the Catholic church of America, died yesterday of Bright's disease. He was the founder and at one time president of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America, and also at one time prominently identified with the Catholic Knights of America. He was one of the leading members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul and was identified with other church workings.

WANTS HIS MONEY BACK.

Sensational Suit of a Preacher Against an Ohio Woman.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, March 23.—Henry Frantz, of New Castle, a dunkard minister, is the plaintiff in a sensational suit in hearing before Judge John C. Miller in the common pleas court. He prayed in his original petition to restrain Miss Melissa Bell, of Columbus, from collecting four $500 promissory notes which, it is alleged, he gave her to regain possession of some letters which he sent to a pretty stenographer.

LIVED 102 YEARS.

Death of Mrs. John Sheehan at Bloomington, Ill.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 23.—Mrs. John Sheehan died in this city yesterday, aged 102 years. She was a native of County Kerry, Ireland, and had lived in this country forty-one years. She was quite robust and active until recently.

Pensions for Indianians.

WASHINGTON, March 23—Pensions have been granted to the following Indianians:

Original—George H. Miller, Kouts; Thomas Griffith, Shelbyville; Silas B. Suffel, Indianapolis; Edward W. Bishop, Muncie.

Increase—Hiram Weeden, Fremont; James C. Wheat, Indianapolis; Silas Wheatley, Leopold; William T. Pride, Cumback.

Col. C. B. Higgins made a business trip to Warsaw today.

TWO FIRES.

A Western Resort the Scene of Conflagrations.

Woodside, a Large Hotel, Completely Destroyed—Sheriff Boynton's Residence Burned.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., March 23.—Fire broke out at 12:30 o'clock this morning in the Woodside, a large frame hotel which was unoccupied, and threatened for several hours to wipe out the entire eastern end of the city, but was brought under control shortly after 3 o'clock. The Woodside and several adjoining cottages were destroyed. The loss is estimated at $120,000. A high wind was blowing and embers from the burning buildings were carried several blocks.

The water mains were too small to give the requisite pressure and the firemen were also hampered by lack of hose. Help was summoned from Colorado City and Manitou.

Earlier in the night Sheriff Boynton's residence was burned, causing a loss of $10,000. This fire also endangered much surrounding property.

RIVERS RISING.

Heavy Rains in Pennsylvania Send the Ohio Up.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—As a result of the heavy rains in this section during the past forty-eight hours, the rivers are raising rapidly and a flood that will inundate the low lands is predicted before tomorrow morning. Navigation along the Monongahela river has been suspended and the water is over the locks.

The Beaver river is a raging torrent and factories on its banks have closed down.

At noon the marks indicated twenty-one feet and raising three inches an hour.

The Allegheny and Ohio rivers are also rising, and from twenty-three to twenty-five feet of water is expected here tonight.

HORRIBLE CRIME.

John Cox Kills His Wife and Little Baby.

TEXARKANA, Ark., March 23.—Several weeks ago Mrs. John Cox and one of her children were burned to death two miles east of here. It was reported as an accident, in which Mrs. Cox had fainted and fallen into the fireplace, where the embers set fire to her clothing and burned her up. The flames were supposed to have also ignited a cradle and burned the baby. Now, as the result of a story told by an older child of John Cox, the husband and father has been arrested and is confined in jail, charged with the murder of the woman and her child.

IMPRESSIVE SCENE.

Britain's Demonstrate Their Love for Mr. Gladstone.

BOURNEMOUTH, March 23.—Mr. Gladstone started for Hawarden today in a royal salon carriage. He walked firmly from his carriage to the train, but was pale. The old statesman was greeted with frequent cries of: "God bless you, sir," "God's richest blessings rest upon you."

"Upon entering the train Mr. Gladstone turned and said in a clear voice:

"God bless you and this place and the land you love."

The distinguished traveler was loudly cheered as his train departed.

CRAIG TURNS UP.

The Missing Merchant Got Aboard the Wrong Boat.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—B. H. Craig, the retired merchant of Rochester, N. Y., who mysteriously disappeared at the Oakland ferry depot on Monday was neither abducted nor stricken with apoplexy, as has been feared. He lost sight of his daughter, who was with him, and by mistake took the boat to Alameda, which caused him to miss the Los Angeles train.

WHIPPED THE FRENCH.

Insurgents Defeat Them on the Island of Madagascar.

PARIS, March 23—The Siecle today says a French expedition sent against Bossiorirtz, in the island of Madagascar, has met, with serious reverse, six officers and one hundred men being killed. The insurgents, it is added, also captured a number of rifles and 125,000 cartridges.

BRUCE'S SUCCESSOR.

Judson Lyons, the Colored Committeeman From Georgia.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The president today announced to members of the Iowa congressional delegation that he had decided to appoint Judson Lyons, the negro republican national committeeman from Georgia, to be register of the treasury to succeed the late B. K. Bruce.

Presented His Credentials.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 23.—Ethan Allen Hitchcock, the new United States ambassador to Russia, had an audience with the czar yesterday and presented his credentials.

Clark Won the Race.

LONDON, March 23.—The Lincolnshire handicap of 2,000 sovereigns, at the Lincoln spring meeting today, was won by Wm. M. Clark's five-year-old Prince Baraldike.

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

Election of Delegates.

To the Democrats of Fort Wayne, Indiana:

The election of delegates to the Democratic City convention will take place

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1898,

from 3 o'clock to 7:30 p. m. At these primaries there will also be nominated by a direct vote two candidates for councilman for each ward.

The delegates elected at the primary will meet in the City hall, on April 5, 1898, at 7:30 p. m., and nominate candidates for mayor, city clerk and three water works trustees.

The number of delegates shall be proportionate at the ratio of one delegate for every sixty votes or fraction thereof cast at the late city election for Henry P. Scherer, mayor, and shall be according to this division as follows:

First ward	9 delegates
Second ward	10 delegates
Third ward	9 delegates
Fourth ward	11 delegates
Fifth ward	8 delegates
Sixth ward	8 delegates
Seventh ward	8 delegates
Eighth ward	12 delegates
Ninth ward	9 delegates
Tenth ward	10 delegates
Total number of delegates	94

The election of delegates shall be held at the following places:

FIRST WARD.

All north of Washington street, at the Roach & Thompson Carriage Works, Clay street.

All south of Washington street, at Houser's barber shop, 117 Hanna street.

SECOND WARD.

All north of Washington street, at 100 Barr street.

All south of Washington at 154 Barr street.

THIRD WARD.

All north of Pittsburg railroad at Meyers livery barn, Washington Boulevard.

All south of Pittsburg railroad at 17 Grand street.

FOURTH WARD.

All that part of the ward lying north of Wayne street, at the Princess rink.

All south of Wayne street and north of Pittsburg railroad, at Hilgeman's grocery.

All south of Pittsburg railroad, at Brown's bakery.

FIFTH WARD.

All west of St. Mary's river at 386 West Main.

All east of St. Mary's river at Rippe livery barn, Broadway.

SIXTH WARD.

All north of Wabash railroad at 352½ Broadway.

All south of Buller street and east of Fairfield avenue at 181 Fairfield.

All west of Fairfield avenue at town hall, South Wayne.

SEVENTH WARD.

All east of Lafayette street at Klipper's bakery.

All west of Lafayette street at Spanley grocery, Calhoun and Creighton.

EIGHT WARD.

All south of Maumee road, at 381 East Lewis street, Neumeier grocery.

All north of Maumee road, at 401 East Wayne street.

NINTH WARD.

All north of Third street, at 157 Wells street.

All south of Third street, at Brink's drug store.

TENTH WARD.

All west of Smith street, at 26 Force street.

All east of Smith street, at southeast corner of Creighton and Oliver streets.

The vote shall be by uniform ballot to be furnished under the direction of the city central committee. This ballot shall be separate for each ward and contain the names of delegates and the names of candidates for councilmen.

The voter will vote for two councilmen on one ballot and express his choice by lead pencil cross in front of the names of those voted for. If there is no objection to any of the delegates the entire number can be voted for without marking, if otherwise, place a lead pencil cross in front of each name voted for. Any person desiring to vote for any person for delegate whose name does not appear on the ticket can do so by writing the name or names upon the ticket and scratching out the name of those for whom others are substituted. If there are the names of only two candidates for councilmen on the ticket and the entire ticket is voted without pencil cross, then all the names will be counted as being voted for.

Two city central committeemen will be elected at this election and the names to be voted for must be printed or written upon the ballot. The result of the elections must be immediately reported to the city central committee.

By order of the democratic city central committee.

ALLEN HAMILTON, Chairman.
HENRY BUCK, Secretary.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CITY CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention.
HENRY B. MONNING.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR MAYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention, April 5, 1898.
HENRY P. SCHERER.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.
WILLIAM GEAKE.

WATERWORKS TRUSTEE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
P. J. SINGLETON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, Tuesday, April 5, 1898.
C. H. WALTEMATH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WM. TAGTMEYER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIRST WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to decision of the democratic primary.
GEORGE E. HENCH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed at the nominating primaries.
EDWARD J. EHRMAN.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for reelection as councilman of the First ward, subject to the democratic primary election.
WILL TIGAR.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SECOND WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary.
ALLEN HAMILTON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
W. J. HOSEY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—THIRD WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Third ward, subject to the democratic primary.
DAVID A. ULRICH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a democratic candidate for councilman in the Third ward, subject to the will of the nominating primary of the party.
JOHN BRYAN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FOURTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating primary in the Fourth ward.
JOHN J. BAUER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIFTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the republican city primary.
J. O. BROWN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SIXTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries.
SYLVESTER McMAHON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries.
HENRY SCHWARTZ.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primaries.
SAMUEL CURRY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SEVENTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman of the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the democratic primary.
PETER J. SCHEID.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
DANIEL D. GORDON.

FOR COUNCILMAN—EIGHTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Eighth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary.
E. K. WHEELOCK.

FOR COUNCILMAN—NINTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will again be a candidate for councilman from the Ninth ward, subject to the will of the democrats as expressed at the nominating primaries.
FRANK X. SCHOBLER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—TENTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce the name of William E. Gerding as a candidate for councilman of the Tenth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
A HOST OF DEMOCRATS.

FOR SENATOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for state senator, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of Allen county.
GEORGE V. KELL.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for judge of the superior court of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention of June 4.
CHARLES M. DAWSON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—I announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the judgeship of the Allen superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
THOMAS E. ELLISON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—I hereby beg leave to announce to the democratic party of Allen county that I will be a candidate for nomination for judge of the superior court of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic convention to be held on the 4th day of June next.
ROBERT LOWRY.

FOR CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for the office of clerk of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.
DALLAS NOLL.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Announce that I am a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.
FRANK J. KELOT.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
LOUIS J. BOBILYA.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for auditor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WILLIAM MEYER, JR.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce the name of Captain John H. Rohan as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, and oblige
A HOST OF DEMOCRATS.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
ADOLPH SCHULTE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
A. R. SCHNITKER,
New Haven, Allen Co., Ind.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WILLIAM SCOTT,
Lafayette Township.

FOR SHERIFF.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for renomination for a second term for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.
ALBERT E. MELCHING.

FOR COUNTY RECORDER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the next democratic nominating convention.
FREDERICK FRY,
Jefferson Township.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
CHARLES W. SCHERER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for recorder of Allen county, subject to decision of the democratic nominating convention.
CHARLES M. GILLETT.

FOR CORONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of coroner of Allen county for a second term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
JOHN H. SAPPEL, M. D.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for the office of coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
DR. W. W. BARNETT.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the office of commissioner of the Third district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
C. E. ORFF.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for renomination for the office of commissioner of the First district of Allen county subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
[illegible]

FOR JUSTICE [illegible]

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace [illegible] township democratic [illegible] convention.
HARRY [illegible]

FOR SURVEYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
JOHN A. [illegible]MAN.

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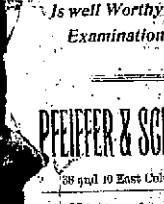

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SHOP AND RAIL.

Joachim Lenz, a Veteran Shopman, Dies of Asthma.

Was Employed in the Pennsylvania Shops Nearly a Third of a Century.

Joachim Lenz, of 21 Gay street, died at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon of asthma, after an illness of several years' duration. The deceased leaves a widow and seven children, the latter being Ernest, Henry and Fred Lenz, Mrs. Mary Nuhrwald, Mrs. Sophia Kramer and Mrs. Minnie Davis, all of this city, and Mrs. Clara Shea, of Cincinnati. William, another son, was killed on the railroad two or three years ago. The funeral will take place next Friday afternoon, at 1:30, from the house, and at 2 o'clock from Zion's Lutheran church.

Mr. Lenz was born in Germany May 26, 1820, and was nearly seventy-eight years old when he died. He came to Fort Wayne and took a position in the Pennsylvania car shops in 1858 and worked there continuously until July 20, 1892, when he was compelled to retire on account of the severity of the malady which finally caused his death. His last service in the shops was in the capacity of janitor of the planing mills. He was a member of the relief department.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

J. F. Gerhard has resigned a position as brakeman with the Nickel Plate.

Sickness interferes with the work of F. Tegeler at the Pittsburg copper shop.

Herman Regel is in Decatur, Ind., repairing an engine. He is employed by the Bass works.

Ed Morris, a carpenter employed at the electric works, is suffering from an attack of erysipelas.

Thomas Duncan, the electrician, was made a member of the local lodge of the Modern Woodmen last night.

The Hi Henry minstrels left this morning on the Grand Rapids road for Kendallville, where they show tonight.

James Craig resumed his work in the factory of Rhinesmith and Simonson this morning, after a few days' sickness.

Charles Kemper, the machinist, who had one of his hands badly cut four weeks ago, has resumed his place in the Bass works.

The Lake Erie and Western train, due here at noon, was three hours late in reaching the city today. Delay is due to the heavy rains and washouts.

Stewart Rehrer has returned from a business trip to Decatur, Ill., in the interest of the Electric corporation.

Nickel Plate Conductor J. M. Wells is sick. Brakeman L. P. Stone, of the same road, is taking a few days' rest.

The Haskell & Barker car works at Michigan City yesterday began on a contract to build 1,000 box cars for the Great Northern.

Miss Lillian Ferris, daughter of Pittsburg Brakeman Frank U. Ferris, of 111 John street, is confined to the house with quinsy.

The Toledo, Peoria and Western has placed a contract for four new high-class locomotives with the Rogers locomotive works.

The Wabash and the Illinois Central will erect interlocking signals and switches at their crossings at Monticella and Tolono, Ill.

J. L. Conboy, a prominent stock raiser of LaPorte county, Ind., was in the city today on business with the Pennsylvania railway officials.

George Horton, a Nickel Plate brakeman, has been assigned to a position in Conductor Hinson's crew. Horton had been on the extra list.

Michael Maloney, whose son, Thomas, was drowned last week, resumed his duties as watchman at the Pittsburg shop gate this morning.

It is stated that the Illinois Central, which has just placed an order for ten new locomotives, will, within the next thirty days, contract for fifty more.

John Yentl, engineer at the factory of Rhinesmith & Simonson, has returned to his work after an absence of ten days on account of a scalded arm.

Machet Gang, who has been wrestling with neuralgia for two weeks, has conquered the disease and has resumed his work in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

A. Hider, the mason who keeps the furnaces at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop in repair, has recovered from a sickness which kept him at home a few days.

Louis Schoonover and Miss Colla Botterom, of this city, were married at the office of Justice Franck last evening. Mr. Schoonover is a Nickel Plate brakeman.

The Indiana University Glee club, which will appear at the Westminster church tonight, arrived in the city at noon over the Wabash road. There are seventeen in the party.

Superintendent C. D. Law, of the Pennsylvania, and Superintendent J. W. Hunter, of the Grand Rapids, went to Pittsburg last night to attend a meeting of railway officials today.

The roads interested have agreed to restore rates on packing house products from the Missouri river to to the Mississippi, and from St. Paul to Chicago to the normal basis, March 23.

The arrangement by which passenger trains of the Nickel Plate arrive and depart at Chicago at the Van Buren street passenger station is said to be increasing the business of the road.

The Mormon people are beautifying the surroundings of their new shops at Lafayette by laying cement walks, laying out little parks and adding all ground where it is practicable to do so.

C. W. Gresnich, a machinist apprentice at the Wabash shops, is confined to his room by a lame foot, the result of stepping on a nail a few days ago. Dr. Schindler is the attending physician.

Work will be commenced next month on the new shops of the Peoria and Eastern at Urbana, Ill. When completed they will be the most conveniently arranged and complete shops in the west.

The Chicago and Rock Island has decided to equip all of its engines which haul passenger trains with electric headlights, having tested three on their engines for some months with satisfactory results.

N. H. Chamberlain, general agent of the Lackawanna line at Kansas City, retires from that position on April 1. His successor will be appointed this week. It is understood that a freight man on the Wabash lines will be selected.

Engineers Robert John, B. E. McFee and George Cooper and Fireman John Vesserist, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days rest. The rush appears to have subsided and men have no trouble in getting a lay-off now when they desire it.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pelhams expect to leave this evening on Pennsylvania train No. 3, for Chambers Springs, where they hope to receive physical benefits by a two weeks' sojourn. Mr. Pelhams has been in poor health for several weeks.

The blacksmiths have challenged the hammersmiths at the Bass works for a game of base ball. The captains are Joseph Richlen and Peter Hauenhose, and they have the matter in hand and hope to complete arrangements in a few days.

Today's shipment from the electric works include an 1,000 light alternating and a forty light arc dynamo, with a complete number of lamps and station equipment material, to Mount Orville, Ohio; a sixty horse power motor to Clyde, N. Y., and an 1,000 light arc machine to Grafton, W. Va. Lamps and station material accompany the latter machine.

The business men of Lafayette, through the city council, have taken up the question of having the roads centering there unite and build a union station. It is stated that the Lake Erie and Western is the only road that gives the project a cold shoulder.

David Simon, a clerk in the Pennsylvania offices, who was confined to Hope hospital with lung trouble for several weeks, was taken south yesterday in the hopes that the mild climate would restore him to health. The mother of the young man accompanied him.

C. W. Smith, an operator, has been promoted to the position of train dispatcher of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, vice W. W. Wagoner, who has been retired. W. G. Cartwright, of Kalamazoo, will succeed Mr. Smith in the telegraph department.

The Rev. L. L. Henson married Miss May L. Bauer and Sidney A. Mason at 7 o'clock last evening, at the home of the bride's parents, on Lafayette street. The groom is a fireman on the Nickel Plate road. Mr. and Mrs. Mason will begin housekeeping at once at 179 Hanna street.

Two squads of tramps had a great time on a Lake Shore train near Valparaiso a few days ago. One party robbed the other of everything, including $18 in cash and all their clothing except shirt and pants. The train crew was powerless and the thieves left the train with their plunder before officers could be summoned to arrest them.

CURRENCY MEASURE.

Bill Reported by Republican Sub-Committee.

Silver Dollars to be Redeemable in Gold and Greenbacks to be Retired by Substitution.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The report of the republican sub-committee of the house committee on banking and currency was laid today before the full republican membership of the committee.

This sub committee, which was appointed a month ago to report a general banking and currency measure, consists of McCleary, of Minnesota, chairman; Mr. Price, of Illinois, and Mr. Mitchell, of New York.

The bill they have reported is entitled "A bill to provide for strengthening the public credit, for the relief of the United States treasury and for the amendment of the laws relating to national banking associations."

The method of dealing with the greenbacks is not by direct retirement, but by the substitution of a legal tender note, which the banks are required to assume and for the redemption of which they are required to find the gold so long as they are conducting a solvent business.

The principal provisions of the bill are as follows:

1. A division of issue and redemption is established in the treasury, for which the secretary of the treasury is authorized to set aside the general cash balances in excess of $50,000,000.

This excess on March 17, 1898, was $176,130,532. United States notes received by this division for redemption in gold are to be cancelled and retired in proportion as certain substitute currency is issued. No note redeemed in gold is to be again paid out except under exceptional conditions.

2. National bankers are required to assume the current redemption of United States demand notes in order to obtain circulation based upon their commercial assets. A new class of notes, called national reserve notes, is to be issued in lieu of legal tender notes deposited by the banks with the treasury, and these reserve notes are to be redeemed upon demand by the banks out of the redemption fund which they are required to maintain in gold. These reserve notes are not treated in any respect as bank notes, because the banks are not liable for their ultimate redemption.

3. The basis of national bank note circulation will eventually be the commercial assets of the bank, but this will be reached only after a series of years.

4. National banks are to be permitted to issue currency notes upon their commercial assets to the amount of the reserve notes issued to them in return for deposits of United States notes.

5. Treasury notes issued under the act of July 14, 1890, are to be dealt with eventually upon the same basis as United States notes.

6. A tax of 2 per cent. is levied upon currency notes issued in excess of 50 per cent. of the capital of any national bank and of 5 per cent. when in excess of 90 per cent.

7. The national currency notes based upon commercial assets are to be secured by a bank note guaranty fund, made up by the contribution in gold coin of five per cent of the entire circulation of the bank and provision is made for replenishment of this fund within certain limits.

8. The national reserve notes will continue to be legal tender until received into the treasury from failed and liquidating banks, when liability for them will be assumed by the government and they will be redeemed and cancelled.

9. Standard silver dollars are to be redeemable in gold, but silver certificates are redeemable only in standard silver dollars. The parity of silver with gold is secured by a gold redemption fund.

10. Silver certificates are hereafter to be issued only in denominations of $1, $2 and $5. Legal tender notes, reserve notes and currency are not to be issued in denominations below $10.

11. National banks are required to pay a tax of ¼ of 1 per cent. semi-annually upon their capital, surplus and undivided profits.

12. National banks are permitted to establish branches under regulations to be prescribed by the secretary of the treasury.

GREAT FLOODS.

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wrecked or sunk, entailing a loss of many thousands of dollars.

While no lives were lost there were many narrow escapes from drowning. The heavy rains have caused many landslides and washouts on the railroads and the through service west of this city is badly delayed. The Pennsylvania limited was delayed five and a half hours by a washout near Canton, Ohio, and other western trains are from one to five hours late. The Niagara express, southbound, is held up by a landslide fifty miles from here and will not get away until late this afternoon. At Carbon, Pa., a Pittsburg and Western freight train went through a bridge weakened by the flood. Engineer Lake was killed and Fireman Bradley fatally hurt.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

Magazine Lets Go and Eight Persons Reported Killed.

PITTSBURG, March 23.—A Chronicle-Telegraph (Lowellville, Ohio) special says:

A dynamite magazine at Hillsville exploded this morning, wrecking the building and causing a panic in Lowellville. It is supposed the magazine was struck by lightning. It is reported that a man named Welsh, his wife and six children were killed.

GLADSTONE VERY SICK.

He Repeats That His Condition Is Kept From the Public.

LONDON, March 23.—Sir Thomas Smith, surgeon extraordinary to the queen, who was called in consultation upon the case of Mr. Gladstone, said to an interviewer today that after the examination Mr. Gladstone begged him not to say a word about his condition unless the queen asked for information on the subject. The surgeon confirmed the report that Mr. Gladstone was suffering intense pain and was very ill.

Juicy Beef Roasts and Tender Steaks, at The Greatest Grocery.

See the beautiful line of neckwear just received at

REUBEN S. PATTERSON'S.

Casting Your Cares on Him.

"Casting all your cares upon Him, for He careth for you." Sometimes like a wild deluge, sweeping all before it, and sometimes like the continual dropping of water—so does care mar our peace. That we shall some day fall by the hand of Saul; that we shall be left to starve or pine away our days in a respectable workhouse; that we shall never be able to get through the difficulties of the coming days of weeks; household cares, family cares, business cares, about servants, children, money and crushing cares—what real care there be for a soul thus beset? But when once we learn to love by faith, believing that our Father loves us and will not forget or forsake us, but is pledged to supply all our needs; when we acquire the habit of talking to Him about all and handing over all to Him, at the moment that the tiniest shadow is cast upon the soul; when we accept insult and annoyance and interruption, coming to us from whatever quarter, as being His permission, and therefore as part of His dear will for us—then we have learned the secret of the gospel of rest.—Rev. F. B. Meyer.

Dr. Evans' Faultless Set of Teeth.

MME. K., a cross noted Russian beauty, was famous for the length and symmetrically of her trains. She was also lavish of her smiles. One evening, at some grand reception, I was gazing at her as Comte Horace de Choisel led her through a suite of salons. Dr. Evans came up to me. We talked about the sumptuous train. He then asked, "what do you think of her teeth?" "They light up her face like sunbeams; they eclipse even the pearls of Mme. de Rothschild's necklace." "It was I who provided them," said the doctor, "no, I'm not joking." "But surely they are too transparent to be of composition?" "They are not of material stuff. I chose teeth from the mouths of twelve Brittany girls to make the set." "Why from twelve?" "Because the twelve had the proper number of faultless teeth. Besides, Mme. K. is superstitiously orthodox. She wanted her teeth to be a reminder of the twelve apostles. To please her I inserted a bit of the true cross in the gold setting."—London Truth.

England's Charitable Women.

A record of ladies' charitable bequests in 1897 is not without interest. Twenty-five ladies whose personality amounted in all to £2,500,000, bequeathed £3,166,000 odd of this to charities. I. e., nearly one-fourth of their estate. Two Scotch ladies left large bequests to Scotch hospitals, etc., and of course, founded more scholarships and bursaries. The Scotch have an unfailing belief in education, and Edinburgh, in particular, simply bristles with bursaries and educational endowments of every description. Lady Meltham, of Pollatlach, left her residuary estate to a school founded in America for the revival of the lost industries of antiquity. What these are we do not know. It is noted that all these charitable ladies were long-lived, the average age at which the twenty-five died being 84.—St. James' Gazette.

He Was Experienced.

First Burglar—It's no use tryin' that place t'-night, Bill. That man an' his wife went in 'bout an hour ago, an' I heard him tell her he'd buy her a diamond necklace ter-morrow. Second Burglar—Wot's that got t' do wid it? First Burglar—Plenty! She won't be able t' sleep for thinkin 'bout it, an' he won't sleep for thinkin' how he got t' pay for it.—Pearson's Weekly.

Came to Remember Him.

Miss Sidgers—I wonder if that rich uncle of mine remembered me when he made his will? Miss Giggs—Of course he did. Mr. Law—I'm sure he must have. He hasn't left you anything.—Pick-Me-Up.

PERILS OF AFFECTION.

Few People Realize How Exhausting the Tender Sentiment Is—A Physician's Good Advice.

"There is no way by which people exhaust themselves, or kill themselves, so quickly as by exercising the affections."

This striking remark was made by one of the best physicians in America. He was a man who had studied deeply, observed keenly, and knew men and women thoroughly. Continuing, he said:

"Sentiment is a grand, a lovely thing, and the world cannot live without it, but the exercise of the sentiments invariably exhausts. People may not feel it, but it is true nevertheless. A man or a woman years out, breaks down, and then wonders at the cause. There should be no occasion for wonder. I have explained the cause."

"If the men and women of the nineteenth century do not feel the forces that produce sentiments, affections, feelings, they are certain to break down, to become exhausted, and to die before their time. Do not tell me these things are theories, for they are solemn facts."

"You ask me what I would do," he continued. "I answer: Begin to feed these forces; feed them constantly; feed them with the best and most scientific discovery you can secure. If you ask me what is the best I unhesitatingly say it is that grand preparation which has been so long before the people and is so popular, Warner's Safe Cure. I know that it possesses powers known to no other discovery and I know that thousands of men and women cannot live without it today. If you will stop and think, or ask your friends, you will see that what I say is correct, and I believe be led to try it at once if you have not already done so."

The facts stated by the doctor and the advice he gives are sound. It is absolutely true that many men and women are enabled to live and enjoy life entirely through the power which this great remedy gives them and there are thousands of others who need to follow in the same path.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

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Notice of Commissioner's Sale of Real Estate.

The undersigned commissioner, by virtue of an order of the Allen circuit court of Allen county, Indiana, made and entered in a cause pending therein, entitled Mary L. Moran, vs. Peter E. Moran et al., hereby gives notice that at the law office of Samuel M. Hench, at 80 Calhoun street, in the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 21st day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, and each day thereafter, till the same hour and place, until sold, he will offer at private sale for not less than its full appraised value thereof, the following described real estate, situate in said city, towit: Lots numbered 1, 6 and 12, in Moran's subdivision of Hanna's outlots numbered 18 and 19. And lots numbered 8, 9 and 10, in Moran's subdivision of outlot numbered 36 in Hanna's addition. And lot numbered 233 in Rockhill's second addition. And all of the south part of lot numbered 1 in Moran's and division of lots numbered 24, 25, 26 and 27 in Tabor's addition.

The terms of sale cash, or one-half cash in hand, and the balance in one year by note bearing 6 per cent. interest and attorney's fees, and secured by mortgage on said land, or with good and sufficient personal security.

SAMUEL M. HENCH, Commissioner.

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KOKOMO EXCURSION

Account State Meeting Indiana Teachers' Association, via Wabash R. R.

For above occasion tickets will be sold by the Wabash line for $2.25 round trip. Dates of sale March 30 and 31, good returning until and including April 3d. For time of trains call telephone No. 5. 1917

Just received, a full line of nobby spring sailings, at lowest prices. Fit guaranteed. H. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 70 E. Main St. 1117

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We are Not Running a Cut Rate Bicycle Sundry House.

We think too much of the friendship of our customers and expect to continue business for years to come. We could not do this were we to handle shoddily made and job-lot goods. We have, however, a full line of reputable, guaranteed standard at lowest prices for this class of goods. We are not afraid of legitimate competition. Give us a trial.

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MY LADY OF MADRID.

THE FAIR CASTILIAN AT HER DEVOTIONS AND HER AMUSEMENTS.

Some More Devout at Times Than She, None More Gay and Eager at the Sunday Afternoon Bullfight—A Discreet and Fascinating Coquette.

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"Time flies," saith the epicurean lifter of Granada. "Meanwhile study woman."

I am ready to kiss the Koran on it, and it is my firm belief, that there is something worthy of perusal if you lift with me this evening the heavy leathern curtained portal of this old Spanish cathedral whence the threads of incense breath curell and if, you come with me into the cool and cumbered solitudes of saints and rubbitics out of a sun that fries your forehead and reduces your thinking apparatus to despair. The various chapels are glittering with firefly lights, like a garden party in Calcutta. The altar bell is tinkling for benediction. It is a wonderful sight as you stand with folded arms, or kneel rather, and look along this twilight arch. The Spanish woman is kneeling or is prostrate before one or other of her pet patrons, the war auxiliary for tomorrow's intrigue or triumph. Her duenna is seated on the ground beside her. But watch her—this beautiful Spanish woman! You catch a glimpse of those twilight eyes beyond the black cascade of her lace mantilla as she turns a moment—yes, coquettishly—and draws the mantilla closer. She prostrates again, and her devotion is divine. Your eyes are riveted upon her. Every outline of that form is supplication and aspiration. Pale saint, on you noble bursts from your lips, and your soul ascends with hers to the Almighty.

The fair senorita rises again, she dips down on the marble floor, and, oh, why what a delicate touch draws the mantilla just a fascinating hair's breadth away from that delicious olive outline of cheek—and plies her fan quite exquisitely. How that fan catches the crimson of the martyred saint on the window above! Why, not! The colors on the beauty's fan are those of her favorite matadore. What are you thinking of? And what is that blushing of no true fan whispers and coursies and then struts. The fair senorita makes her obeisance to the altar, and with modest gentle bluffle, follows her duenna out of the church. The artist leaning against the pillar catches that roguish leak in the Spanish eyes within those little side curls called pizarillos (roguerles)

The artist stranger's reasoning apparatus begins to work again, and he knows that this shrine devotion he has just witnessed is but a prelude to to-morrow, when the fair senorita, bowed to the dust today, will shout her breath away at the yellow of blood and dust going on within the arena of the corrida de toros

On your homeward path from vespers your attention is attracted by a crowd collected around a matador in gorgeous costume for tomorrow's fete. Watch the faces of the man in the crowd. The man who comes under the influence of woman eyes or falls in the whole scale of intellectual or moral being. The ten little fingers of woman that hold a man's destiny can guide it in crowns or submit it to poor glory. Watch the faces in this main artery of Madrid when the hearse shoots for the "slayer" rise in deafening thunder. You begin to wonder if you were wise in leaving your trusty derringer in your steamer trunk at the hotel.

Above, from the balconies so prettily shaded by many Moorish arcadings, the watching senorita peeps. She may never see her lover alone, so welcome those balcony moments, where the two may talk in a sign language that to any one else on the outside of it all looks like the gestures of one in danger of mopedery. The tourist turns his steed to wind the cemetery, feeling a little lonely until all you begin to call theirs. Now, this last resting place of the Castilian noble is a weird and wonderful place. The Spanish lady in affliction comes here to hang up a new picture in the mortuary chapel or to go up and down to the grewsome twilight of the vault or to sit plunged in grief. This chapel is gorgeous with decoration of mosaic pavement and stained glass windows and an intricate ironwork of carved grille through which the tourist stranger may peep. The sanctuary lamp trembles across the skeleton bars like the opening eye of the dead. A flight of stairs, broad and echoing, go down and down to the vault—below into where gray shadows the dead Castilian noble has consecrated Dolorosa only. And the poor lady yonder in the black and white (the fashionable dress of Castilian affliction) is so profoundly bowed in grief. The artist tourist withdraws on tiptoe from before the grille.

It is the afternoon of the morning when the dead count wends down to it's final account. In the noble lady's house in Madrid—the lady who owns the mortuary chapel and who sobbed very much this morning—there is quite a stir going on. My lady countess is standing in her room. My lady is standing before her mirror, and she is drawing, oh, so coquettishly, a splendid black lace mantilla around her shapely little head, and then she plus, oh, so beautifully, a pearly white rose on her head, and then she pins another prettier white one nestling close to it, and she laughs again. Just the colors of the funeary wreath in the mortuary chapel! And then she holds up over her head adorned with the black lace mantilla and the two snow roses a little red fan, and she peeps away from under it and throws that little head on one side. And then down the stairs and away! To the mortuary chapel? Oh, dear, no; to the bullfight! Why, it's Sunday afternoon, and Juie, the celebrated matadore, does the slaying today.

LEON CLEVELAND.

Trouble Breaks Out Again.

"You're I'm the south, ain't you?" asked the boy on the other side of the fence.

"Yes," answered the new boy.

"I know why yer lessun's good where you come f'm."

"Do you?"

"Yes. You hain't got any 'r' down there."—Chicago Tribune.

A Wise Precaution.

Little Bessie—Can't I have a birthday party next week, mamma?

Mother—Why, Bessie, your birthday isn't till next summer.

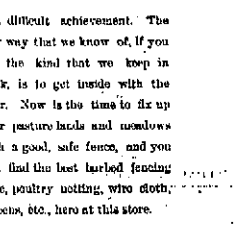
Little Bessie—I know, but Uncle Jack says he doesn't have any birthdays after they are 25 years old, so I want to have lots of them before it is too late.—New York Truth.

Embarrassing.

Bessie—Why didn't you attend Professor Dump's lecture on the "Cycles of Time?" It was very interesting.

Maude—The subject of the lecture was embarrassing to me. You know, dear, I bought my wheel on the installment plan.—Pittsburg Press.

Getting Over a Barbed Wire Fence Quickly



is a difficult achievement. The only way that we know of, if you buy the kind that we keep in stock, is to get inside with the stock. Now is the time to fix up your pasture lands and meadows with a good, safe fence, and you will find the best barbed fencing wire, poultry netting, wire cloth, screens, etc., here at this store.

Seavey Hardware Co.,

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19 and 21 West Main Street.

Drugs in Household Use.

Much has been written and said by medical journals and by medical men on restricting the sale of drugs and chemicals, it being urged that they should never be dispensed save under a doctor's prescription. There are, of course, many articles in ordinary household use that are distinctly poisonous, and while some of them may be used as medicines, and doubtless are, others are almost indispensable in the household economy. It is very evident that to require a physician's prescription for these would be absurd and expensive in the extreme. It is all very well to argue in favor of such restrictions, but in view of the fact that in proportion to the amount of ordinary poisons sold injuries are extremely rare, it seems hardly worth while to draw the line so closely. At all events, the general public will not allow its privileges in this direction to be unduly abridged.

Dr. B. A. Stockdale,

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SPECIALTIES:

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Sundays:—9:30 to 10:30 a. m.

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DRUGGIST.

MARTIN H. WEFEL, Drugs, medicines, chemicals, paints, toilet goods, etc., cor. Hanna & La Salle Sts. Phone, old, 289; new, 549.

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McDONALD & YOUST, Practical Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters, 96 Wells Street. Phone 738.

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DR. B. GARD—To ladies suffering from any menstrual irregularity this may prove a boon and a blessing. Office, 15 W. Wayne Street. Telephone 587.

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HAMILTON NATIONAL BANK. Capital $200,000. Surplus $25,000. The Hamilton National Bank will pay interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum on certificates of deposit if left four months.

President—Charles McCulloch. Cashier—John Mohr, Jr.

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WANTED—A cook, references required, at 61 W. Wayne st. 2017

WANTED—A girl for general housework at 301 West Wayne street. 2013

WANTED—Gentlemen dressmaker at 204 South Calhoun street, up stairs.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Inquire at 222 West Washington street. 2012

WANTED—A good horse to pull my dairy delivery wagon. T. E. Ellison, Shoaff's park. 2012-2d

WANTED—To borrow $400 on first mortgage on city property worth $2,000. Address Box 13, Sentinel. 2012

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "Ads" on first page, first column, Sentinel & Arcade, upstairs. 2d

WANTED—A girl for general housework; references required; German girl preferred. Apply at 39 Hanson street. 2012

WANTED—To trade a 20 bicycle for a horse. Apply at 42 Portage (Irwin avenue, South Wayne. Telephone, 251 south. 2012

WANTED—Three or four pleasant, sunny furnished rooms, in desirable location and modern home, with or without board. Address Box 13, care Sentinel.

WANTED—Small loans made to salaried people, ladies and others on satisfactory security. Easy terms of repayment. 28 State Block, fourth floor. Take elevator. 11-12t

WANTED—Men in every county to act as private detectives under instructions. Experience unnecessary. Address, Universal Detective Agency, Indianapolis, Ind. Dec-4-d

WANTED—Energetic ladies and gentlemen to canvass; $40 per month guaranteed; no experience necessary. Call on Address Paulina Fredrich, 35 East Wayne street, Fort Wayne, Ind. 2016

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, first floor, front room preferred. Address, "Rooms," care Sentinel.

WANTED—Two front rooms, with board, within two minutes' walk from corner Fairfield avenue and Rose street. Address Box 5, care Sentinel. 2017

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath, inquire at 35 Donald avenue. 2d

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished front rooms. Apply at 122 W. Jefferson St. 2d

FOR RENT—Front room suitable for housekeeping, or bedroom and board. Inquire at 22 West Washington St. 2012

FOR RENT—A pretty furnished room with or without board; all modern conveniences; terms very reasonable. 22 East Washington Street. 2012

FOR RENT—Eight room house, recently located, bath room, furnace, electric lights, modern in every respect. Inquire at 48 Harmar St., cor. E. Wayne. 2017

FOR RENT—Store building, house on Wood flock, corner Hanna and Wallace streets, after March 15th. For particulars call at Cardius Wood, 375 Hanna street. 11-12t

FOR RENT—Four or five comfortable rooms, suitable for housekeeping; also one furnished room, first floor, centrally located. Inquire at Rooms 5 and 6, Foster block. 2d

FOR RENT—Eight-room house at 325 South Calhoun street; bath room, pantry, closets, supplied with hot water, gas and electric chandeliers in all the rooms; cement cellar, with laundry tubs; driveway from Calhoun street to barn. Will lease to good party. Inquire at 37 West Berry street, corner Harmar. 2d

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Two fine, fresh milch Jersey cows and their calves at 35 East Wayne street.

FOR SALE—A standard bred horse, harness and new buggy. Inquire at 131 West Washington. 1917

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security, see "Ads" on first page, first column. Sentinel & Arcade, upstairs. 2d

FOR SALE—Or trade, one 35 acre farm, one 70 acre farm, one 80 acre farm, six 40 acre farms, five 10 acre farms and several small farms suitable for suburban city homes and line in all parts of Indiana. Inquire of Swagerman & Cole, 36 E. Berry St., Postoffice drug store, Fort Wayne, Ind. 1917

FOR SALE—Improved dwelling property on West Berry street, West Washington street, East Suttenfield street, West Wayne street, West Jefferson street, West and South Creighton avenue, West Dewald street, South Harrison street, Fairfield avenue, Broadway, West Third street, Hoagland avenue, lots in Fletcher's addition, Lakeside Park addition, Rockhill's and Baldwin's additions and money to loan. Schrader & Wilson, first floor No. 7 Court street. 2d

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DOCTOR MARY WEBER, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office and Residence 32 Madison Street. Specialty—Diseases of Women. Telephone 418. Office hours 9 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

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Phone 622 **Louis F. Curdes,**
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Division No. 3, A. O. H., will meet tomorrow night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Vachot, of Smith street—a son.

Judge Allan Zollars went to Chicago this morning to look after some legal business.

Miss Grace Bass returned home this morning. She left Mr. and Mrs. Bass in New York.

The city of Laporte has granted a franchise to a corporation that purposes the construction of a street railway.

Mrs. L. G. Dailey and son, Rogers, went to Wabash this morning to spend two or three weeks with relatives.

The Summit City Juvenile orchestra held a rehearsal at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holmes last evening.

Joseph Merrilat has recovered from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism, which confined him several months.

Mrs. Johnson, of Findlay, formerly of this city, will be the guest of honor at a pedro party given by Mrs. L. O. Hull tomorrow evening.

Charles D Logan, superintendent of agents of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, was in the city yesterday on his tour of inspection. He called on District Agent Ten Brook.

Miss Lavonia C. Williams, daughter of Josh Williams, will canvass the south part of the city as subagent under General Agent Honlihan for the sale of Murat Halstead's great history of Cuba.

The college warble will be heard this evening at the Westminster Presbyterian church, the occasion being the concert by the Glee club of Indiana university. The college men have appeared in a great many cities and together with the undoubted musical talent and the humorous songs they give an entertainment that everyone enjoys.

John H. Archer today celebrated his sixty-first birthday anniversary. He was born in Washington township, two miles north of the city. At that time the surrounding country was wild and beasts of all kinds were plentiful. There were plenty of wild cats, bear, panther, deer, etc. He saw Fort Wayne grow from a town of 1,000 to a city of 50,000. Mr. Archer is in excellent health.

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The Evening Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 1898.

OUR TELEPHONES.
Business Office .... No. 173.
Editorial Rooms .... No. 680.

The Weather.

Washington, March 23.—For Indiana: Rain or snow and colder in south portions this afternoon and tonight; Thursday, fair and warmer; fresh southerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. Jacob Fry, of 53 John street, is very ill.

Miss Lena Meyer entertained the Mimosa club last evening.

Mrs. M. J. Blitz left for Bluffton today to remain the rest of the week.

The Duodecimo club met today with Mrs. Van Slyke, at 106 East Berry street.

Miss Mayme Fuller has returned from a visit at her home in North Adams, Ind.

Mrs. Leopold Levy, of Huntington, is in the city visiting friends for a few days.

Mrs. Edna Study-Harper, of Terre Haute, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Study.

Mrs. H. H. Bennett, who has been the guest of relatives in the city, went to Logansport today.

Mrs. Noble Olds and daughter, Maribel, left today for a visit with relatives in Grand Rapids.

Charles Davy, of Toledo, is in the city, the guest of his cousins, the Misses Minnie and Belle Geake.

J. E. Meloy, traveling agent of the National Express company, was registered at the Randall hotel today.

Miss Laura Gorham, of Rockford, Ill., will be the guest the latter part of this week of Mrs. W. H. Shambaugh.

Dr. and Mrs. Schick will be at home to their friends after April the 10th at 51 East Washington street.

There were three prisoners in police court this morning, two train jumpers and one vag. The trio were sent to jail.

Miss Phoebe Ellison entertained two tables at progressive pedro last evening in compliment to Miss Mary Howe, of Chicago.

Two ante-nuptial companies were given today for Miss Charlotte Lowry—one a card party this afternoon, given by the Misses Rurode, and a dinner this evening at Miss Kate Hoffman's.

Miss Lillian Schrader has gone to Lima, Ohio, to attend the marriage of Charles Schrader, which occurs there this evening. Drs. Schrader and C. E. Barnett are also in Lima to attend the wedding.

Walter, the ten-days-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Diedrick Kleemeyer, died at the home of his parents, No. 10 Swinney avenue, last evening. The cause of death was exhaustion. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

The Aid Society to Ladies' Auxiliary of Order of Railway Conductors will be entertained by Mrs. Evans, Coleman, Hiane and Oakes, Thursday, from 1 to 5 p. m., at their hall. All O. R. C. ladies and friends are invited.

Miss Elizabeth Knight gave a card party at her home yesterday afternoon in compliment to Miss Charlotte Lowry and her guest, Miss Kate Jackson, of Goshen. Progressive pedro was played, Mrs. Charlie Guild winning first prize.

The meeting of the revival services at the First Baptist church last night was attended by a larger congregation than the previous evening, in spite of the inclement weather, and the interest manifested seems to be earnest and genuine. Rev. L. L. Henson will preach tonight.

Huntington Herald: "At a meeting of the executive committee of Club League, Friday evening, April 8, was selected as the date of its April meeting and reception. It was announced that Mrs. Bursley and Miss Hoagland, of Fort Wayne, had consented to attend the reception and would each deliver a practical talk on club work."

The marriage of Miss Birdora Ellison and Edwin R. Williams, of Virginia City, Nev., occurred at the home of the bride's mother, in Lagrange, Tuesday morning. Only immediate relatives of the family were present. The ceremony occurred at 8 o'clock. The Rev. J. E. Carpenter, of Howe military school, officiated, and the Episcopal service was used. After the ceremony a sumptuous breakfast was served, during which congratulations were tendered the bride and groom. The happy couple left yesterday for Ann Arbor, Mich., which will be their future home. The bride is the daughter of the late Hon. A. Ellison and is one of the prominent young ladies of Lagrange. Hon and Mrs. T. E. Ellison, of this city, attended the wedding.

Big Reduction on Rice.

50 barrels received direct from Louisiana. Good quality, only a little broken, down to 4c pound.
FRUIT HOUSE.

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Fresh Country Eggs, 9c dozen.
Best Roll Butter, 10c lb.
Choice Michigan Potatoes, 70c bushel.
South Whitley Flour, $1.65 bbl.
All City Flour, best grades, $1.90.
Best Shoulders, 6½c; Best Hams, 9c.

Florida Strawberries and Fresh Southern Vegetables for Thursday morning.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Judge D. D. Heller, of Decatur, was in the city over night.

Miss Luella Harding, of Bluffton, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne.

Miss Rebecca Nimde, of Chicago, is the guest of Mr and Mrs Ben Nimde.

R. E. Moss, M. D., of Port Huron, Mich., is registered at the Wayne hotel today.

S. S. Dahertley, of Terre Haute, was registered at the New Aveline last evening.

Will Collins has again taken charge of the news stand at the Randall hotel

The city directory is now on the press and will be ready for distribution early in May.

L. L. McCormick, of Bluffton, a wealthy oil man, was registered at the New Aveline today.

Zannie McDaniel has left for Portland, Ore., to take a position in the electric light plant there.

W. R. Jones and wife and Miss Belle Jones, of Hartford City, were in the city today between trains.

Charles A. Kelley, of Terre Haute, was in Fort Wayne last night on business He returned home this morning.

A farmer's team ran away on Barr street this morning and demolished the buggy, but no person was injured.

Mrs. C. E. Cooke, of Paulding, Ohio, arrived in the city this morning and will visit her son, Fred Cooke, for a few days.

J. J. Sullivan, of Chicago, a traveling insurance representative, was in the city today visiting the local agent of his company, Murray Hartnett.

Miss Traca Dirkes was yesterday taken from her home, 72 Berthold street, to St. Joseph hospital for treatment. She has been ill for some time.

Charles E. Archer has issued a call for a meeting of the employing job printers of the city to be held in the parlors of the New Aveline hotel this evening.

David Fife will leave Fort Wayne Saturday or Sunday for the west, where he goes to accept the management of one of Rockefeller's great western farms.

A cablegram from Bremen states that the steamship, Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, on which Rev. J. L. Leeper and Dr. N. R. Wenger sailed for Europe, arrived in that port yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Mossman will entertain the ladies of Plymouth Congregational church and their friends on Friday afternoon, from 2 to 5 o'clock, at her home, 388 Washington boulevard.

Hon. Thomas R. Marshall, of Columbia City, was registered at the Wayne hotel. He was on route home and stopped over between trains to discuss the political outlook with Fort Wayne democrats.

The wives and daughters of the members of the A. O. H. will meet at Library hall Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to assist in making arrangements for the coming A. O. H. state convention, to be held in this city next month.

Claude Duval, private secretary to C. S. Crane, general passenger agent of the Wabash, Bert Sharpe and Chas. B. Ullman, of St. Louis, are in the city today visiting their friend, F. J. Stutsman, landlord of the Randall hotel.

Professor Feiertag, of Madison, Wis., has accepted the call extended to him by the St. Paul's Lutheran congregation of this city, to take a place as teacher in the St. Paul school here. He is expected to arrive in a few days.

The following Scottish Rite Masons are attending the spring convocation at Indianapolis this week: J. M. Henry, J. T. Dougall, A. R. Walter, Dr. E. L. Siver, Dr. S. H. Havice, M. S. Mahurin, M. J. Blitz, E. C. Rurode and Byron Hattersley.

Professor Bitting will not be able to deliver the promised address during his visit here Friday. He will talk to Fort Wayne citizens on impure milk at some future day and will entertain them with stereopticon views on different conditions of milk.

The Ladies' society of Westminster church will meet tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the Misses Keel's, 145 West Superior street. There will be literary work furnished by the committee, which will make the meeting an interesting one

Professor Bitting, of Purdue university, will arrive in the city Friday morning, to begin the tests of dairy cattle. The work will occupy two days, and all tests will be made free City Bacteriologist Drayer received a letter from Professor Bitting yesterday, and is busily engaged preparing for the work.

Preparations for the state convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians are progressing rapidly The meeting will convene on April 19, and a day and a half will be occupied in getting through the accumulated two years' business. Half a day will be spent in sight seeing, and on the evening of the 20th a banquet will be given, in honor of the visitors. Hon. William P. Breen will be Bishop Rademacher, State President John W. O'Hara, of Peru, and State Treasurer M. J. O'Brien, of Richmond.

Office Seeking the Man.

This is a clear case of the office seeking the man, as we are looking for the man who will buy our office desks, etc., suitable for a wholesale or manufacturing business. Will be sold at a bargain, as we have no use for them.
THE GREATEST GROCERY.

Ten tables of new spring suits at REUBEN S. PATTERSON'S.

Late Red Cranberries 5c quart at The Greatest Grocery.

J. L. White is in St. Louis

J. S. Cain, of Andrews, was in the city last evening.

Mrs. App, of West Washington street, is ill with pneumonia.

William C. Verney, of Williamsport, Pa., is visiting in the city.

Cyrus Whitney, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne.

George B. Walker has accepted a position in the Foster furniture store.

Joe Kirchheimer is in Fort Wayne on business. Joe is located now in Chicago.

Miss Carina Running is the guest of her father, Dr. E. P. Running, at the Wayne.

Dr. Henry Humrichouser, of Pierceton, visited friends in Fort Wayne last evening.

George McCurdy and Otto Rothschild have accepted positions in the Globe clothing house.

Mrs. Charles Bash entertained a few young people as a surprise to her son, Charlie, last evening.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll will lecture on "Liberty," at the Princess rink, on the evening of April 29

Rex Dryer will return from Ann Arbor on Friday and will be the guest of Edward Reitze for a week.

W. J. Holt has returned to the city from a trip in Indiana towns in the interest of the automatic banjo.

Professor Adams will deliver a lecture to the students of the College of Expression Thursday evening.

Mrs. Olive Fleming and nephew, Donald Miller, of Buffalo, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wiso.

J. B. Neizer, of Monroeville, ex-county auditor, was in the city today shaking hands with his many friends.

Alf Hattersley went hunting near Rome City yesterday. If his money doesn't run out he will bring home some game.

Lottie, the eleven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Prince, fell and sprained her ankle and is confined to her home.

Miss Clara Minnowisch, of South Hanna street, entertained friends Monday evening at pedro, the occasion being the anniversary of her birth.

D. C. Fitch is entertaining Prof. E. B. Newton, of Cleveland. Professor Newton will give a recital at the College of Expression next Monday evening.

The Lakeside Aid society held a social last evening at the home of Mrs. E. F. Tierney, on Columbia avenue. A small sum of money was realized.

Manager O'Meara this afternoon received a letter from James Mc Kevitt in which Fort Wayne's former center fielder asks to be reinstated on the team.

I. U. Glee club which sings at Westminster church tonight, gave a concert at Warsaw last evening. After hearing them, Rev. Dickey wired E. F. Yarnelle to engage the club for a week at Winona.

Oscar Lilt has returned from a trip to surrounding towns in the interest of his shows. He has made many contracts and anticipates a profitable season. Norton & Jones' circus, owned by Dr. Lilt, will open the season May 11.

Hugh Dix and Ed O'Meara are out at Lakeside park this afternoon putting the ground in shape for the spring practice. In less than two weeks the players will report, and it will be impossible for them to do any work on the new park.

Ex-City Clerk Rudy C. Reinewald was pleasantly surprised last evening at his home, on Masterson street, by a number of his friends, who, accompanied by their wives, called to assist him in the proper celebration of his forty-first birthday anniversary.

ANOTHER WELL.

The Hartzell Oil Company Will Locate It Tomorrow.

The directors of the Hartzell oil well at the meeting held in New Haven yesterday decided to put down another well. Tomorrow they will visit the oil fields and determine where to locate the well.

The capacity of the present well demonstrates that beyond question oil in paying quantities is underneath Allen county soil, and the Hartzwell company is after it.

STRIKE IMMINENT.

River Coal Miners Demand Fulfillment of Chicago Agreement.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 23.—A general strike of river coal miners will be inaugurated on April 2, unless all of the conditions of the Chicago agreement are conformed with by that date, or the operators agree to pay the men upon a run of the mine basis. A strike will effect about 5,000 men.

SPRING OVERCOATS.
In all shades and grades, at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Extra fine Braunschweiger Liverwurst, at The Greatest Grocery.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Wheat—May, $1.01½; July, 81¼c; Sept, 77c; Dec., 77¼c.

Corn—March, 28½c; May, 29¾c; July, 30½c; Sept., 31¼c.

Oats—March, 25¼@¾c; May, 25½@26c; July, 23¾c.

Pork—March, $9.65; May, $9.70; July, $9.77.

Lard—March, $5.00; May, $5.05; July, $5.12.

Ribs—March, $5.00; May, $5.00; July, $5.05.

Barley—Cash, No. 3, 34@42c.

Rye—Cash, 48¾c; May, 49¼c.

Flax—Cash, $1.17½; N. W., $1.20½; May, $1.19½; Sept. $1.07@1.07½

Timothy—March, $2.85.

WELL WON REST.

Hon. Jacob Hillegass Departs This Life.

Passed Away Tuesday at His Huntertown Home.

Four Score Years Well Spent on Earth.

Mr. Hillegass Had Served in Many Positions of Trust and His Death Will be a Loss to the County.

Tuesday, March 22, at his home, near Huntertown, occurred the death of Jacob Hillegass, a man who for more than half a century had been prominently identified with the affairs of Allen county and northern Indiana.

Jacob Hillegass was born February 7, 1818, in Montgomery county, Ohio. He was united in marriage May 26, 1841, in Butler county, Ohio, to Miss Lucy A. Powell. Seven children were born to them, five of whom survive him, as follows: Jerry, Hezekiah, Mrs S. J. Stahl, Mrs. S. B McManus and Mrs. L. A. West.

The deceased came to Allen county April 14, 1843, and located at Huntertown, where he has ever since lived, and has devoted the greater part of his life to farming. He was among the most successful and enterprising farmers of northern Indiana and was in the advance guard of progressive agriculture. His home, near the village of Huntertown, is well known as being of the most beautiful places in the country.

His educational advantages were somewhat limited but he availed himself to the utmost of his school privileges and throughout his long life was an eager student, an earnest seeker after knowledge and was a true promoter of education and general progress, acting his part nobly in life's great drama.

Mr. Hilligass held many positions of trust, the last being the office of county commissioner, to which he was elected in October, 1869, and re-elected three years later, serving in that capacity six years. He was noted among his constituents as a man of energy, marked decision of character and of the most unflinching integrity. He was a communicant of the Presbyterian church for fifty-five years and was a faithful and consistant member of this society—universally liked and respected, and a man without an enemy. For the past year he has been in failing health, his illness being a complication of diseases. Since New Year's Mr. Hillegass had been a great but patient sufferer, until called to his reward. The funeral will take place Saturday at 1:30 p. m., from the Cemetry church at Huntertown.

JEFFRIES' EASY WIN.

Jackson Lasts Three Rounds—Californian Has Peter Helpless Early.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 23.—The Jeffries-Jackson fight last night in the third round, the decision being given to Jeffries. The decision was generally well accepted, as Jackson was a beaten man after the knock-down at the end of the second round. In fact, after the first round no expert would have given a nickel for Jackson's chances. Though his color was good, his stomach was entirely too full, his legs were weak and his eye lacked luster.

At the end of the first round Jefferies seconds evidently coached him to make an aggresive fight. He pushed Jackson all around the ring and soon after the opening of the round landed heavily on Jackson's jaw. The blow was not delivered with full force, but he watched his chance and soon landed another on the point of the jaw, which knocked Jackson to the carpet. He took his time and rose very groggy. A moment after Jeffries landed another trip-hammer blow on the jaw and Jackson went down a second time. Call of time alone saved him, as he reeled into the corner, supported by his seconds.

It was evident he could not last another round. He feinted for a time at the opening of the third round, but Jeffries gave him no breathing spell, landing first on the wind and then delivering several rapid blows right and left on the jaw. Jackson could not protect himself, and hung helpless on the ropes. Captain Whitmann entered the ring and stopped the fight, as it was plainly evident Jackson was a beaten man. The referee then gave the fight to Jeffries.

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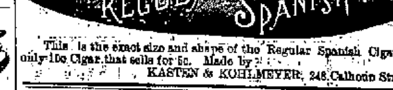

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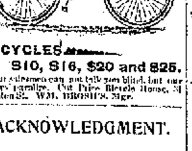

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